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Bouquet, Cake For Truman

Saturday Was His 64th Birthday, Little Time to Celebrate Occasion

By Arthur S. Roberts

WASHINGTON, May 8.—(AP)—Sixty-four red roses and a big birthday cake decorated President Truman's desk today—it was his 64th birthday anniversary.

But the man who was born in Lamar, Mo., in 1884 didn't have too much time to celebrate the occasion.

The necessity of trying to find a solution to the threatened railroad strike was foremost among his problems.

Mr. Truman did manage to pay some attention to his birthday, which happens to fall on the anniversary of V-E Day. It was three years ago today that the war in Europe officially stopped.

The huge bouquet of roses which graced the President's desk was a gift of White House employes. Another bouquet of carnations and snapdragons was given by the White House police.

A Birthday Cake

The birthday cake was prepared by Mrs. Bill Simmons, wife of the president's receptionist.

During the day Mr. Truman presented Senator Barkley (D-Ky) and Rep. Herter (R-Mass) the Collier's magazine congressional awards for distinguished service to the country.

Each man got a plaque and a $10,000 check handed him by the President.

As a surprise birthday gift, Mr. Truman got a special plaque "in grateful acknowledge of his interest and support of the purpose of the Colliers' congressional awards."

After the ceremony, the President attended a hotel luncheon in honor of Senator Barkley and Rep. Herter.

Comparison of Times

Barkley, in his speech of acceptance, called attention to the vastly increased range of effort required of legislators today, as against the relatively narrow demands made in the days of Henry Clay.

In an aside, Mr. Truman remarked that Henry Clay was a very smart man.

Twice he was offered the vice-presidency of the United States, the President recalled adding that both times he refused it.

Both times, if he had accepted, he would have become president, Mr. Truman said.

Money to Public Purposes

The money Barkley and Herter received will go for public purposes. Senator Barkley's $10,000 will go to the University of Louisville medical school for heart disease research. Mrs. Barkley died of a heart ailment.

Rep. Herter's award will go to the Foreign Service Educational Foundation here, where advanced study in international affairs is conducted.

Along with the President's flowers, the cake and the plaque, there were other gifts.

Nine-year old George Fotes, of Douglas, Wyo., who also celebrates his birthday today, sent a miniature metal horse to the president.

Senator Brewster (R.-Me.) brought in an eight pound salmon from the Bangor pool of the Penobscot river—the first catch of the season.

A firearms company sent a new rifle.

New Discharge Button

Mr. Truman wore in his lapel a new gold World War I discharge button. Marking his service as an artilleryman, the button was presented by members of the President's immediate staff.

The President was pronounced in top physical shape as he begins his 65th year.

Brig. General Wallace H. Graham, the White House physician, said the President weighs 174 pounds, is getting in two mile walks daily when the weather permits, and is using the White House swimming pool frequently.

Mr. Truman has been in the White House since April 12, 1945, the day his predecessor, Franklin D. Roosevelt died.

Five-Inch Snowfall In a New York County

CHICAGO, May 8—(AP)—While one New York county dug itself out of a five-inch snowfall today, most of the country enjoyed fair weather.

Snow plows were brought out in southern Erie county, near Buffalo, to open clogged roads. Light rain or snow fell also in the northern Rockies.

The only other precipitation across the country was light rain in Missouri, northwestern Illinois and southern Iowa.

Otherwise the skies were fair, with temperatures quite warm in the south and fairly cool in the northern half.

Army 135,000 Short

WASHINGTON, May 8.—(AP)—Uncle Sam wants you — at least 135,000 more of you.

The army has taken another look at its rolls and comes up that many short, it says, of the strength authorized currently by congress.

America's First Lady

Gene Wetherall To Address Rotary

Gene Wetherall, president of the Agricultural school at Columbia, will be the speaker at the Rotary meeting Monday noon at the Bothwell hotel. His subject will be "Coordination of Religion and the Soil."

The program chairman will be George H. Routszong.

Turned Down Huge Sum Says McKittrick

Certain Interests Wanted Him to Get Out of Political Race

ST. LOUIS, May 8—(AP)—Roy McKittrick, candidate of the Democratic nomination for governor, said today that he had turned down a "huge sum" offered if he would withdraw from the race.

Another candidate for the nomination, Forrest Smith of Richmond, was quoted tonight by the Kansas City Star as saying McKittrick's statement was "a manufactured effort."

"I think," the Star quoted Smith as saying, "that the whole story is a manufactured effort by a defeated candidate, who realizes he is defeated, to cast aspersions on his opponents in an endeavor to get the vote for himself."

McKittrick, former state attorney general, said he was the man referred to in reports circulated by two St. Louis newspapers and the Kansas City Star.

He would not say whether one man or a group of men made the offer nor where the offer was made.

"That's all I want to say now," he added.

The Star-Times at St. Louis said that informants circulating the reports assert the money was offered by Missouri gambling and underworld interests with the hope of encouraging the election of a more lenient state administration.

Turned Down $30,000

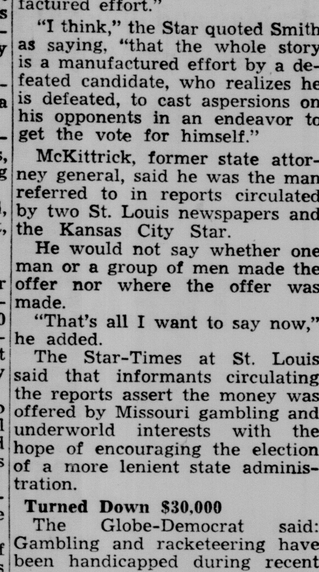
The Globe-Democrat said: Gambling and racketeering have been handicapped during recent years by hostile governors. This time the underworlds want to bring about the election of a governor who will take a more tolerant attitude towards their activities."

The Kansas City paper quoted McKittrick as saying he had turned down $30,000.

"They did not want me in. There is no reason why I should withdraw, because I'm on top and will win," the Star quoted McKittrick.

McKittrick is opposed by Dan M. Nee of Springfield, Forrest Smith of Richmond, Raymond E. Cox, Centralia, and William D. Cochran of Columbia.

To Speak Here



Dr. Byron Banta, professor of history at the Missouri Valley college at Marshall, who will be the guest speaker at the Sedalia Optimist Club meeting Tuesday noon at the Bothwell hotel. He will take for his subject: "What is really meant by Communism."

Invitation to Visit Bothwell Hospital Wed.

Organization to Observe National Hospital Day

Wednesday, May 12, is National Hospital Day, and citizens of Sedalia and surrounding communities are invited to visit Bothwell hospital during the afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock and in the evening from 7:00 to 8:30 o'clock.

The invitation to visit the hospital is extended by the hospital board and management. There will be guides to show the visitors through, explain some of the war developed technique now being employed in modern hospital practice and also tell of some of the future plans of the hospital.

Honor Florence Nightingale

May 12 was chosen as National Hospital Day in honor of Florence Nightingale, who was born on May 12, 1820. Miss Nightingale, known chiefly for the dramatic chapter in her life which began ninety-odd years ago with the Crimean War when she organized a band of vlunteer women nurses was the founder and inspiration for the modern profession of nursing. She endured indescribable hardships in the primitive hospitals of Scatari, but the hospital world knows her for her improvements of nursing standards. With the testimonial fund given for her war services, she founded the Nightingale Home for training nurses at St. Thomas hospital in London. She lived to be ninety years of age and gave all that she had to the futhering of her profession.

Board Members

Members of the Bothwell hospital board are Fred M. Lange, R. R. Jiedel, Fred Overfelt, Walter Jesse, Walter E. Dobel. The manager is James Franks, superintendent of nurses, Miss Beth Dewar.

Soldier to be Buried Monday

The body of Cpl. Calvin D. Solomon, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Solomon, R. 2, LaMonte, who was killed in action near Beaucondray, France, August 2, 1944 will arrive in Sedalia at 11:05 o'clock Monday morning.

Cpl. Solomon was born January 11, 1924 near Otterville, Mo. He received his education in the Broadway school and was graduated from the Smith Cotton high school in the class of 1941. He united with the First Baptist church in 1932.

He enlisted in service, May 29, 1942 and was stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky. He received seven months of battle training at Elizabeth, Ky., and sailed for England, February 1944. He was killed in action near Beaucondray, France August 2, 1944. Military services were held at the First Baptist church September 24, 1944. The body is being sent from a government cemetery at Le Cande, France.

Survivors

Survivors are; the mother and father and one brother, Raphael of Jefferson City.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Gillespie funeral chapel, with the Rev. T. W. Croxton officiating.

Pallbearers will be; Hall Pledge, Carl McMullin, Bob Goldsmith, Dale Waite, Bob Parkhurst, Harold Yunker.

Music will be by Mrs. Carl Yessen and Mrs. Edna Wasson, accompanied by Mrs. Clyde Williams. They will sing "Asleep in Jesus" and "No Night There."

The Weather

Considerable cloudiness and windy Sunday and Monday; scattered light showers Sunday and in southeast half Sunday night; Highs Sunday 70 to 75 west, 75 to 80 East.

Thought for Today

Faith, mighty faith the promise sees
And rests on that alone;
Laughs at impossibilities,
And says it shall be done.
—Charles Wesley.

Editor Who Told News as He Saw it Dies

No Reformer, But He Printed The Ungarnished Facts

LAMAR, Mo., May 8—(AP)—Arthur Aull, the Missouri editor whose printing of the news with nothing spared won him readers the world over, is dead.

The 75-year-old editor with a penchant for detail about the hometown news, died late last night. For more than a year illness had kept him from the cluttered office of the Lamar Daily Democrat.

In his 47 years as active head of the paper, he printed all the news of Lamar, "the ungarnished facts that people want to read." He was fiery and outspoken, but denied he was "a reformer, and above all, a crusader."

It was his contention that in a town the size of Lamar, about 3,000, the most carefully guarded secret was eventually discovered and bandied around. He saw as his duty to get the facts straight. He was explicit about domestic affairs, operations and crime. Suicides and murders were often written as if he were an eyewitness.

Items Like This

After his daily forenoon visits with farmers, merchants and loafers on the town "square," Aull would return with items like these:

"Joe Doakes is so happily employed these days in his big garden that he has almost entirely ceased for the time, to be a nuisance. He hasn't sat around the house for days making Mrs. Doakes listen to what a tough, brimstone coated child of hell he was when he was a young blade."

"Bill Doakes hasn't had any liquor for a good long time. The big reason is that whiskey sells for money and Bill don't have any."

"Joe Doe was divorced from his wife Ella, at the courthouse Tuesday. Mrs. Doe ran off with her brother-in-law while her husband and children were at church."

Depended Upon Him

Questioned once about the last story, Aull argued that:

"I could have smoothed that thing over, or omitted the article entirely. What would have happened I'll tell you—my readers would begin to lose confidence in the newspaper. They'd say 'Aull has quit printing the news.' They know that Doe and his wife are going to be divorced, but they want to know why, and they depend on the Democrat to tell them the facts."

He often said that any country editor could handle the news the way he did, but he warned "to avoid being lynched they had better know their people pretty good before they start anything."

One of his most widely read stories was his account of how an irate woman subscriber had beaten him with a club. It told of the affair at great length, concluding with the observation that his thick head of hair and the straw hat he was wearing had saved him from more serious injury. His headline on the story was:

His Bloody Head

"We certainly got one bloody head."

His long account of an ordinary dog fight, ended with this observation: "It was a swell fight. The owners being sore at each other gave it extra drama."

Aull was a Democrat, but never ran for office. When President Truman, who was born in Lamar, took office, Aull had this to say:

"We are not unfortunate in having Truman for President. He wants to please. He is conversant with statecraft and he is likely to do pretty well. x x x He is a man of fair judgment and real patriotism. We expect to see him succeed reasonably well in his giant task."

Aull, who estimated his formal education encompassed only about six terms, taught a country school in his early life. Although he never had made more than a half dozen visits to a newspaper office, he bought the Democrat in 1900 with a capital of $200.

Had Something To Say

"I didn't know a damned thing about the newspaper business when I bought the paper," he once said, "but I had something to say, and I wanted to say it in my own newspaper."

To the end he reported what he saw and heard, carrying out his creed of "it's hard to beat honesty and truthfulness in getting along with people.

Since 1942 Aull has been assisted in getting out the paper by one of his three daughters, Mrs. Madeliene Hafften.

Besides Mrs. Hafften, he is survived by Mrs. Aull, and two other daughters, Mrs. Genevieve Noyes, Springfield, Mo., and Mrs. Betty White, Oklahoma City.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Monday in Memorial Hall. Burial will be at Lake cemetery.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Leslie Roy Roland, Evanston, Wyoming and Nora Paxton, Sedalia.

James R. Van Hook, and Billie Jean Carver, both of Florence.

James M. Parsley, and Alice J. Nace, both of Sedalia.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Dismissed: Mrs. Roy Wood, Route 4, Sedalia.

Man Made Good in Honolulu Returns To First Love, Sedalia

"It is merely sentiment that brings me back here" said Prof. Robert Milton Smith, who recently sold his chemical company in Honolulu and came back on a visit to his old home town, "Just to see Missouri in the spring again."

Mr. Smith, who was born in Cooper county so close to the line that he had only to cross the road to be in Pettis county, has had a colorful and varied career. The son of the Rev. Jervase Parks Smith, a Southern Methodist minister, and Mrs. Smith, he moved with his parents to Sedalia in 1892.

Mr. Smith started to school at old Summit and his seatmate in the first grade was Walter Dandy, who at the time of his death a few years ago was one of the greatest brain specialists in the world.

Meeting Old Friends

"There was Rudolph Ramlow, too," he said, who was in my gang. "I've seen Rudolph and had a talk with him"—Prof. Smith said, "And his kid sister, Lizzie, was the only "pigtail" on our ball

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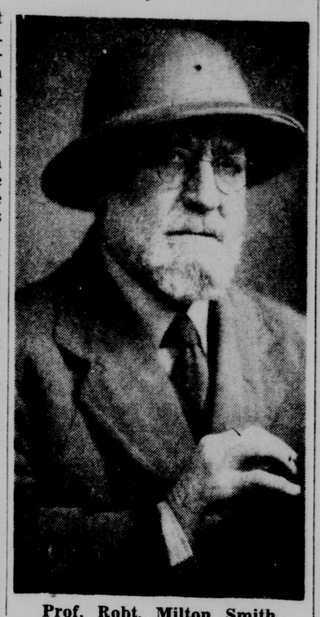

Prof. Robt. Milton Smith

Knife and Fork Club Dinner

John Temple Graves II, editor and author, Southern newspaper commentator, will address the Knife and Fork club this week on "Free Enterprise-The Magnificent American Proposition."

He will speak at a dinner meeting in the Ambassador room of the Bothwell hotel Tuesday evening, opening for reservations at 6:30 o'clock.

He comes to the Knife and Fork club with the highest recommendations from newspapers of note and magazines and from heads of universities, clubs and civic organizations.

The evening will be given over to a study of American fundamentals—things which are eternal under the Stars and Stripes—but things which have been sometimes buried under the debris of political storms and financial squalls.

Guest Artists Appear With Symphony

Fourth and Final Concert to be Given On Monday Night

The fourth and final concert of the season will be presented by the Sedalia Symphony Orchestra with Abe Rosenthal conducting at the Smith-Cotton Auditorium Monday, May 10, at 8:20 p. m.

Pat Dunn, baritone, and Margaret Shuck, soprano, will be presented as guest artists.

Mr. Dunn was presented by the symphony in one concert before the war and is well known to Sedalia audiences. The concert Monday will be his first apparance here since his return from the service.

He has made numerous radio appearances, having sung with the Rudy Vallee, Eddie Cantor, Gale Paige and Al Pearce shows. At present he has a regular radio program which can be heard over WDAF each week day at 7:15 a. m. and on Sunday at 3:30 p.m.

Formerly Of Warrensburg

Mrs. Shuck, the former Margaret Wood of Warrensburg, continued her studies at the Chicago Conservatory following her graduation from Central Teachers College at Warrensburg. While at the conservatory she did special oratorio work with Edgar Nelson.

She also has done considerable radio and church work and only recently appeared on a program with Lorenzo Alvary of the Metropolitan Opera Company at the Philharmonic Auditorium in Los Angeles.

The following program will be presented Monday night.

The Program

1. Romantic Overture (Franz Schubert).
2. Aria "Ah fors' e lui" from "La Traviati" (Verdi), Margaret Shuck and orchestra.
3. My Beautiful Lady (Ivan Caryll), Symphonic arrangement by Hans Spialek.
4. Aria "Fin Cha Da Vine" (Mozart), Pat Dunn and orchestra.
5. Smoke Gets In Your Eyes (Jerome Kern), Symphonic arrangement by Hans Spialek.

Intermission ten minutes.

6. Finlandia Tone Poem (Sibelius).
7. With A Water Lilly, (Greig). Gotta Weave Me a Coat (Gossler).

Old Mother Hubbard (Hely Hutchinson), Pat Dunn.

8. Hills, (La Forge). Mom Marketing (Powell Weaver).

Gravotte, (Popper), Margaret Shuck.

9. Song of Love, (Romberg). Will You Remember (Romberg) Margaret Shuck and Pat Dunn Edythe Ross, accompanist.
10. Cornelius Festival March (Mendelssohn.)

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be ushers. They are Miss Mary Shanks, Miss Erma Fagan, Miss Lavila Smart, Miss Grace Carter, Mrs. J. F. Schumacher and Mrs. Archie Wilson.

Valuables And Junk Offered In Strange Sale

Evalyn Walsh McLean's Valuables Put up For Sale

By Arthur Edson

WASHINGTON, May 8—(AP)—One of the world's strangest sales started today.

Auctioneers bustled into the cluttered rooms of "Friendship," the hilltop home of the late Evalyn Walsh McLean. In the next week they will sell a lot of treasures—and a lot of rubbish—for an estimated $250,000.

Society writers, sobbing softly into their demitasses, say this means the end of a era. And I guess they're right at that.

For Mrs. McLean, who died a year ago, owned such things as the fabulous Hope diamond, a 44-carat affair, and a museum full of knicknacks.

Where will you ever again find another Evalyn Walsh McLean?

Evalyn Walsh, born in a log cabin, so poor she yearned for a slate with red trimming.

Evalyn Walsh McLean, giver of great parties, so rich that one party, for her son Jock when he reached 21, cost her $50,000.

And ah, such guests! Royalty came to the McLean parties. So did Presidents.

Harding played on the old private McLean golf course. And Coolidge horrified everyone, in the golden age of golf plus fours, by appearing in a pair of very ordinary pants held up by a very ordinary pair of galluses.

"Father Struck It Rich"

Tom Walsh found gold. Or, as Mrs. McLean put it in her autobiograph, "father struck it rich." And she married Edward Beale McLean, heir to the Washington Post and the Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Friendship" has been open to the public, for $1 admission.

More than 1,000 people passed through it each day. The line was half a block long when I got there. Mostly they were women, many of them old women.

Like many a buyer, Mrs. McLean apparently bought and bought, but rarely sold. From out of attics and basements have come a helter-skelter of articles to be heaped indiscriminately throughout the house.

Here are priceless tapestries—and furniture which obviously would make an old folks' home for indigent moths.

Wounded Worker Directs Rescue Work

DETROIT, May 8—(AP)—A 29-year-old worker, both legs broken when the walls of a drainage ditch caved in and trapped him, directed his rescuers for an hour today before being freed.

With only his arms free, Steve Grasela told firemen and first aid workers to buttress the caving walls with planks to prevent further slides.

Grasela was taken to Wayne county general hospital, where attendants said his condition was good, despite the broken legs.

Union Leaders Say Nationwide Strike Will Go On, Tuesday

News On Strikes

Relative to the strike threat of railway unions in the transportation service a bulletin was posted at the Missouri Pacific shops Friday stating that "Due to the threatened emergency conditions all departments of the Sedalia shop will be closed until further notice effective at quitting time Tuesday, May 11."

DALLAS, May 8—(AP)—The Texas and Pacific railroad said today it planned to operate the Sunshine Special on regular daily schedule between Fort Worth and St. Louis even if the rail strike occurs.

General operation of freight and passenger trains will be suspended if there is a strike, W. G. Vollmer, president of the railroad, said.

He said the Sunshine Special would continue to be operated in connection with the Missouri Pacific, but that operation was "the most that could be undertaken, if the strike materializes, with the few supervisors available."

KANSAS CITY, May 8—(AP)—President W. N. Deramus announced today the Kansas City Southern railroad will cease all passenger train service if a strike becomes effective at 6 o'clock C.S.T. Tuesday.

Deramus said operations will be limited to end service before or as soon after the deadline as possible.

DETROIT, May 8—(AP)—Federal conciliators, striving to avert a strike of 75,000 Chrysler Corp. auto workers set for Wednesday, announced late today that principals in the case have agreed to meet Monday (11 a. m.) to review the situation.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 8—(AP)—The postoffice department expects little trouble in handling the normal number of letters if a rail strike comes next Tuesday.

First class mail will go by air where necessary and probably will be limited to one pound, Second Assistant Postmaster General Paul Aiken said today. There may be some weight exceptions up to five pounds, but this hasn't been settled. Some mail may be slowed a little.

Aiken, who is in charge of railway mail and mail transportation, was in Charlotte to address a meeting of Young Democrats.

Agrees to Accept Nomination

READING, Pa., May 8—(AP)—Norman Thomas reluctantly agreed today to accept should the Socialist party tender him a sixth nomination for the presidency.

The veteran socialist leader has campaigned as his party's nominee for the nation's highest office in five quadrennial elections beginning in 1928. The decision assured his nomination tomorrow at the 26th annual convention.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Marshall Hall, Jr., Houstonia.

Admitted for tonsillectomy: Harold Williams, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of Hughesville and Mrs. Clyde Dyer, Warsaw.

Admitted for medical treatment: William A. McCandless, of Lincoln.

Dismissed: Miss Jerry Teufel, 414 East Fifth street; Mrs. A. H. Pabst, Otterville; Mrs. W. C. Walk, Houstonia; William Mertgen, Florence; Miss Mary Louise Gregory, LaMonte; Miss Ann Reglan, 1408 West Fourth street; Miss Peggy Preisendorf, 816 South Massachusetts avenue; John Sweeney, Calhoun, Mrs. Leon Wells, 644 East Twelfth street; Mrs. Keith Hilsaveck and son, 822 East Ninth street.

President's Labor Trouble Shooter Calls Operators Back to White House Today

WASHINGTON, May 8.—(AP)—The nationwide railroad strike "will go on" as scheduled Tuesday, union leaders said tonight after a fruitless three-hour conference with management at the White House.

The three key unions which voted the strike turned down the railroads' renewed offer of a 15½ cent an hour wage increase and various changes in operating rules.

W. T. Faricy, president of the Association of American Railroads and a spokesman for the carriers, declared: "That's our final offer."

The situation was tightly deadlocked tonight and John R. Steelman, President Truman's labor trouble shooter, admitted it. He said:

"So far it has been impossible to bring the parties to an agreement. We are going to try again tomorrow. I have asked both sides to think over the matter tonight and discuss it with their people."

Meeting Today

Steelman called on the operators to come back to the White House at 9 a.m., (EST), tomorrow, and asked the unions to stand by after that time for a telephone call.

The railroads' proposal for the 15½ cent raise and the changes in working rules was identical with the settlement recommended weeks ago by a presidential fact finding board.

Other railroad unions accepted such an increase but three important operating brotherhoods—the engineers, firemen and engine-switchmen — held out for more. They demand a 30 per cent wage increase, with various changes in working rules which would increase their take home pay.

No Settlement

Referring to today's renewal of that 15½ cent offer, Alvanley Johnston, head of the engineers, told reporters:

"That's no settlement.

"As far as we're concerned, the strike will go on."

The possibility that the government might seize and operate the roads remained. But there was no apparent move tonight in this direction.

Steelman brought the disputants together about 1:45 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time) and the meeting broke up just before 5 p.m. Steelman had left the management and union representatives alone in a conference room most of the time.

The joint session was the first that had been held since April 27, in Chicago.

Some Hope

The word that Steelman had even been able to get the two sides together raised some hope for peaceful settlement of the dispute. But that hope was let down by the won't-budge statements by both parties.

Faricy, of the operators, said that Steelman had not asked the railroads to go beyond the recommendations made by the fact-finding board last March 27.

But he emphasized that the railroads renewed their offer to put into effect "everything" recommended by the fact-finding board.

"We've said we'll put it into effect lock, stock and barrel," he told reporters.

Two Big Issues

The union men and management representatives were reported to have discussed two big issues besides the pay increase—overtime and terminal pay.

The unions want overtime pay for night shifts, Sundays, and holidays. The emergency board recommended against this. . . but the unions still want it.

They also are demanding pay for time that engineers and firemen have to spend in terminals before their trans depart. The board recommended pay for such delays in passenger service after one hour. The brotherhoods want it in freight service too.

Rail Embargo First Pinch of Threatened Strike Paralysis

CHICAGO, May 8—(AP)—The rail embargo fixed a slowly strangling grip on the California-Florida fruit and vegetable industries today. It was the first big pinch of the threatened rail strike paralysis.

As the White House pressed last ditch efforts to avert the railroad strike set for early Tuesday, America's farming and industry leaders girded for effects of a general transportation tieup that would be felt almost at once.

A rail shutdown, a survey showed, would have these major results:

1—Millions of dollars worth of ripened citrus fruits and vegetables would face spoilage in California and Florida.

2—A lack of coal cars would close the nation's coal mines almost immediately.

Fuel Shortage

3—Coal dependent industries, their stockpiles still depleted by the recent coal strike, would run out of fuel in a short time.

4—A lack of storage space for automobiles coming off assembly lines would force an early shutdown of motorcar production in Detroit.

Workers already are being laid off in the fruit and vegetable industries.

Thousands were out of jobs in Florida where a rail embargo took effect last midnight. Fresh fruit shipping was virtually at a standstill. Canning operations were not affected immediately, but a shortage of containers, usually brought in by rail, could hurt that industry.

Fatally Shot By Playmate

ST. LOUIS, May 8—(AP)—Police reported that a 15-year-old boy was fatally shot today by a playmate at the dead youth's home.

Sgt. Walter Lang said Joseph Updegraff was shot by Arthur Donovan, Jr., also 15, while the boys were playing with a shotgun in the bedroom.

Sgt. Lang quoted the Donovan boy as saying he took the gun down from the wall and told Joseph: "Someone could put a hole through you with this gun."

Police said Updegraff replied: "Not with that gun, it isn't loaded."

The shot struck Joseph in the abdomen.

Reports Billfold Lost

Harold L. Woodall, 1504 South Ohio avenue, reported Saturday night that he had lost his billfold, containing about $75 near the Tullis Hall dairy at about 9 o'clock.

Mission 39:

Navy Pilot and Gunner, Inseparable in War, Make Last Flight Together — in Death

Radioman James Langiotti

Lieut. Harwood S. Sharp

By HARRY J. LAMBETH
NEA Special Correspondent

HONOLULU—(NEA)—A Navy dive-bomber pilot and his radioman-gunner, who were an inseparable team in 38 combat missions against the Japs, have finally flown their 39th mission together—their last.

This time they were passengers. A pudgy torpedo bomber roared down the runway at Barber's Point Naval Air Station to carry the ashes of Lieut. Harwood S. Sharp and Aviation Radioman First Class James R. Langiotti, who met their death by a Jap samurai sword more than two years ago.

Sharp, the 24-year-old pilot from El Cerrito, Cal., and Langiotti, 23, of Orlando, Fla., first met in the summer of 1943 when Bombing Squadron Eight was formed at Norfolk, Va. They flew together continuously from training days through combat missions against the Palaus, Woleai, Hollandia, Truk, Saipan, Guam, Iwo Jima, Formosa.

On Mission 39, the plane scratched for altitude. Five miles off Hawaii's famous Diamond Head crater, it banked sharply. The ashes of the two young airmen, brought back from a Jap prison camp, were scattered high over the Pacific.

Sharp and Langiotti had been lucky in the air battle for Guam—the Marianas "turkey shoot" in which the Japs lost 402 planes. They helped sink a Jap carrier, but were attacked by enemy fighters and forced to make a night landing at sea. A destroyer picked them up and brought them back to the Bunker Hill, their carrier base.

But a few months later there was no friendly destroyer.

On Oct. 12, 1944, the youthful pair took off on Mission 38. Their dive-bomber left the flight deck of the Bunker Hill to carry them over Matsuyawa air field on Japanese-held Formosa. Their raid on the field was part of a two-day battle which destroyed 221 Japanese planes in the air and 175 on the ground. The U. S. lost 45 planes.

One of the 45 was the dive-bomber flown by Sharp and Langiotti. Jap ack-ack got them, but Sharp managed a crash landing at sea, three miles west of the Tamusii river in Formosa. They struggled from their cock-pits and floated ashore aboard a rubber raft.

For eight months they were together in a Jap prison camp. On June 19, 1945—the first anniversary of the defeat of the Japs in the Marianas "turkey shoot"—they were executed with other Americans.

When the war ended, the ashes of the pilot and his gunner were recovered in identified urns. The parents of the two airmen, advised of this by the Navy, suggester burial at sea from a carrier plane because, from letters, they had learned of their sons' close friendship.

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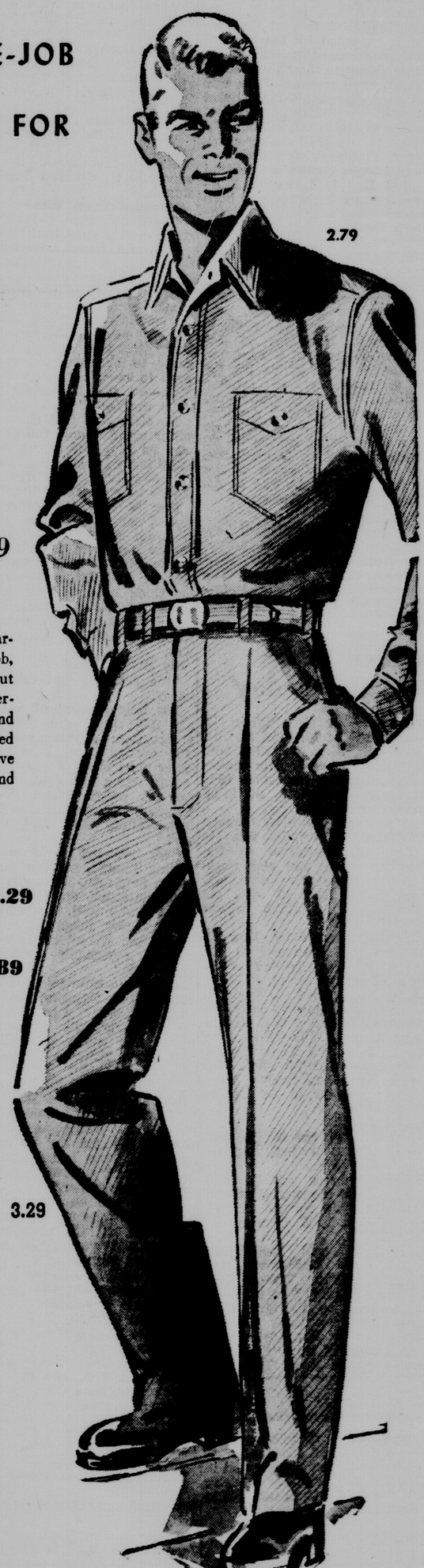

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The Daily Washington Merry-go-'Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, May 9—(AP)—One of the richest war-prizes captured from the Germans was a series of Nazi documents on Hitler's secret deals. These gave a gold mine of information of Nazi intrigue all over the world and should help the American people to avoid war in the future.

Many of these documents have now been made public. But significantly, highly illuminating German secrets pertaining to the Arabs so far have not. They are especially enlightening today in view of the Palestine crisis and the Arab claim that they deserve world sympathy.

British diplomats, this columnist is informed, were bitter when they first learned of Arab-Nazi intrigue at a time when the British were fighting with their backs to the wall near Suez. But despite British resentment, the texts of the Nazi messages have not been made public, even though captured at the expense of Anglo-American blood.

British diplomats have admitted that pressure from Washington is the reason for suppressing these documents. The U. S. defense department, which means Forrestal, plus American oil are not anxious to embarrass the Arab leaders. That apparently is why the American public does not know that King Farouk of Egypt furnished war secrets to Field Marshal Rommel when the British had their backs to the wall in Egypt.

It also remains a top secret that King Farouk corresponded with Hitler during the war and that Rachid el Gailani, former minister-president of Iraq, received bribes from the Nazis, and that King Ibn Saud also dickered with Hitler.

However, this column has been able to obtain copies of some of the secret Arab-Nazi correspondence. Here is one letter dated March 24, 1943, in which King Farouk of Egypt informed German ambassador Ettel that he was "still hoping for an Axis victory." The letter from Ambassador Ettel to foreign minister von Ribbentrop follows:

"Secret State Matter

"Berlin, March 24, 1943

"Ambassador Ettel—

"The confidential agent who transmitted a message from the reich to King Farouk, has, in the meantime, returned from Egypt. During his stay he had two lengthy conversations with King Farouk. In these conversations the king gratefully acknowledged the security measures which the reich had taken for his person and the manner in which this delicate question had been handled. King Farouk instructed the confidential agent to convey the king's gratitude to the foreign minister of the reich.

"The king also informed the confidential agent that, as in the past, he was still hoping for an Axis victory. Specifically, the king declared that the rumors which were being circulated about a rapprochement between him and the democracies, were nothing else but a matter of political expediency and shrewdness, necessary for the then prevailing circumstances. The king also expressed his thanks for the dilatory way in which the matter of Prince Mansur's departure from Istanboul had been handled. Under the present circumstances, the king no longer objected to the prince going to Italy or Germany.

"Finally, the king instructed the confidential agent to convey his best wishes to the Mufti in Jerusalem and to all those who work with him for the success and the victory of the Axis.

"Submitted to the Foreign Minister of the Reich.

Sgd, Ettel."

Real Estate Lobby

For sheer effrontery, last week's battle over the Cain Housing bill—a half-baker measure to guarantee the profits of private builders, while ignoring the vital need for low cost public housing and slum clearancetops anything the real estate lobby has pulled in recent times.

Senator Harry P. Cain, Republican, of Washington, elected as an out-and-out real estate champion, certainly lived up to the expectations of his sponsors. He waited until Senators Ralph Flanders of Vermont, John Sparkman of Alabama, Bob Taft of Ohio and other proponents of public housing were absent from town before asking Senate approval of the real estate bonanza.

Meantime, House leaders were keeping their own chamber in recess, standing by to pass the bill once the Senate had acted. Meantime, also, sitting big as life on the Senate floor were those tireless pals of the real estate lobby, representatives Jesse Wolcott of Michigan and Ralph Gamble of New York. House majority leader Charles Halleck of Indiana also sat eagerly on a sofa at the edge of the Senate floor.

These three musketeers occasionally huddled with young Senator Joe McCarthy of Wisconsin, another friend of the lobby.

However, when alert Senators William Fulbright of Arkansas, Democrat, and Irving Ives of New York, Republican, finally blocked action until foes of the legislation could be present to vote, Halleck's face blazed with anger.

As he left the Senate, muttering with rage, a senator called after him: "Well, I guess you boys took a licking."

Halleck turned, rubbed his nose like a prize-fighter.

"Yeah, maybe we did, but just wait!" barked the Hoosier congressman.

NOTE—House leaders plan to block the Taft-Ellender-Wagner low-cost housing bill in Congressman Wolcott's banking and currency committee. Although it passed the Senate, the bill is already gathering dust in Wolcott's pigeonhole.

Under The Dome

Detroit police questioned former United Auto Workers Union President R. J. Thomas for two hours last week on the shooting of Walter Reuther. Nothing developed. Thomas and Reuther were rivals for the auto workers' presidency. Reuther himself has been slow talking to the police . . . Democratic Chairman Howard McGrath has asked George Allen, Truman's former court jester, to replace Gael Sullivan as treasurer and executive director of the Democratic national committee. If Allen takes the job it will put one insurance firm in control of the finances of both political parties. Allen's insurance business partner, James S. Kemper, is treasurer of the Republican party. He also heads Lumbermen's Insurance plus a dozen other companies and is one of the most isolationist members of the G.O.P. . . . President Truman has told friends he plans to appoint ex-Congressman Ray McKeogh of Chicago chairman of the Maritime Commission—if he can get Vice-Adm. William W. Smith, a Republican, to resign . . . Lee Pressman, ex-CIO general counsel, may become the third-party candidate for Congress from Brooklyn.

Past Noble Grands to Meet

The Past Noble Grands of Loyal Rebekahs, 260 will hold an all day meeting with a contributive dinner at noon, at the home of Mrs. Olive Bush, 1312 South Osage avenue, Friday, May 14.

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Closed School With Program

The Pacific School, taught by Miss Mary Elizabeth Brauer, closed its 1947-48 term with a program on Tuesday night.

The program included: Piano solo, "Rustic Chapel," by Mary Lee Stuhner; dialogue, "Aw, Gee," by Orlyn Brauer, Mary Lee Stuhner and Joyce and Burton Ives; song, "I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover," by Mary Lee Stuhner and Joyce and Burton Ives; dialogue, "Fishermen's Luck," by Walter Von Holten and Melvin and Eugene Oelrichs; song, "Auld Lang Syne," by the school; dialogue, "Cowboy Complex," by Eugene Oelrichs, Orlyn Brauer, Mary Lee Stuhner and Joyce and Burton Ives; piano solo, "Golden Stars Waltz," by Joyce Ives; dialogue, "H Stands for Health," by Mary Lee Stuhner, Burton Ives, Orlyn Brauer, Walter Von Holten and Eugene and Melvin Oelrichs; song, "The Bells of St. Mary's" by Joyce and Burton Ives; recitation, "Vacation Days," by Walter Von Holten; song, "A.B.C. Days," by the school, and song, "Now the Day Is Over," by the school.

Two Graduates

Diplomas were presented to Burton Ives and Mary Lee Stuhner by the president, Henry Von Holten. The graduates chose as their motto: "Have Faith and Hope and You'll Win." Class colors were blue and red and the flower was the red rose.

Awards were presented to Orlyn Brauer for perfect attendance, Burton Ives for perfect spelling, Joyce Ives for reading the most books in "A" class, Orlyn Brauer for reading the most books in "B" class, Melvin Oelrichs for showing the most improvement in reading during the year, Orlyn Brauer for being the best actor in the program, and Mary Lee Stuhner and Joyce and Burton Ives were presented Bibles for memorizing Bible verses.

Wednesday the school had a weiner roast and picnic at Liberty park. Rudy Brauer and E. J. Brauer furnished the transportation.

District Meeting of Republican Women

The Federation of the Republica Women's clubs of the Sixth Congressional District will hold its spring meeting in Clinton, May 14 at the Masonic Temple. Lunch will be served at 12:30 o'clock.

Miss Lillian Schlegenhauf, of Quincy, Ill., will be the guest speaker at the meeting.

All district and state candidates, as well as the public are invited to attend. It is expected to be one of the largest meetings of the district.

Mrs. S. M. Hatfield, Sedalia is president, Mrs. Sam McCluney, Warrensburg, secretary.

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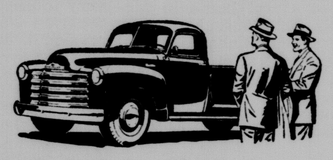

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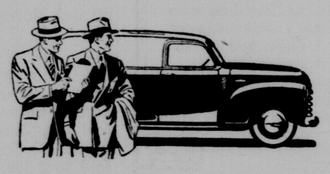

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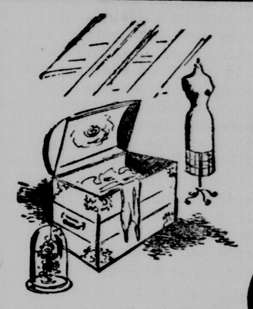

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OBITUARIES

Samuel Milton Stevinson

Samuel Milton Stevinson, 85, died at 7:45 o'clock Saturday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank T. Armstrong, 725 West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevinson had been visiting with their son-in-law and daughter since March 25.

Mr. Stevinson was born at Hallsville, Mo., and had been a lifelong resident of Columbia and Boone county. He had been in business in Columbia since he was 17 years of age, first in the grocery business and for the last 50 years, in the insurance business. He was a deacon in the First Christian church in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevinson recently sold their home in Columbia, which they had built in 1921, to Christian College for the president's home.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Virginia Stevinson, one daughter, Mrs. Armstrong, a sister, Mrs. Rebecca Coons, of Columbia, a brother, Leslie Stevinson, of Hallsville, and three grandchildren, R. S. Mead, of Kansas City, Frank Armstrong, Jr., a student in Westminster college in Fulton, and Mrs. Mary Virginia Harms, of Sedalia.

A daughter, Mrs. Lillian O'Hara, died in 1942.

The body is at the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Parker's chapel in Columbia. Rev. Clarence E. Lemmon, pastor of the First Christian church in Columbia will officiate.

Burial will be in the Memorial Park cemetery in Columbia.

Mrs. Caroline Steffens

Funeral services for Mrs. Caroline Fredricka Louisa Steffens, who died Thursday, at her home in Cole Camp, will be held at 2:00 o'clock this afternon at the Eickhoff funeral home in Cole Camp. The Rev. Stephen Gardner will officiate.

Pallbearers will be: G. W. Beyer, John Chesaski, Dale Linville, Walter Grube, Harry Corman, Arthur Reedy.

Burial will be in the Union cemetery.

Mrs. Steffens was born at Sandfork, Ohio, a daughter of August Grube and Caroline Roelf Grube. She was married to Claus Steffens November 9, 1893, and to this union two children were born.

Mr. Steffens died April 9, 1942. Surviving are her daughter, Katie, wife of Ora Jacobs, her son, Carl Steffens, both of Canton, Ill., five grandchildren, one sister, Mary Payne, of Columbus, Ohio, four brothers, August Grube, Lee's Summit, Ernest Grube, Columbus, Ohio, Carl and Robert Grube, Patriot, Ohio. Three brothers and three sisters preceded her in death and a grandson lost his life in the South Pacific.

Funeral of John H. Corman

Funeral services for John H. Corman, 75 years old, former resident of the Cole Camp community, who died at the Bothwell hospital Friday, will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Rev. E. L. Knight, pastor of the First Christian church, will officiate.

Friends of the family will serve as pallbearers.

Mrs. M. O. Stevens and Mrs. Roy Kirchhofer will sing accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Interment will be in the Corman family lot in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Social Events

The Pettis So-Mor Circle, order of the Easter Star, will meet at the home of Mrs. W. F. Schwenk, 1517 South Barrett avenue, at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday May 12. Assisting hostesses will be; Mrs. L. C. Judd, Mrs. R. V. Miller, Mrs. Bert Robertson, Mrs. J. W. Watts.

Mrs. Joe Elliott, 911½ South Ohio avenue, has as her week-end guests her daughters, Mrs. Everett Heryer, of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mrs. J. V. Williams, Mr. Williams and daughter Janice, of Kansas City.

In honor of Mrs. Elliott on Mother's Day a family dinner will be held today at the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Elliott, in Warrensburg. Other guests besides Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Heryer, Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Janice, will be Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pike and son, of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Elliott, of Hughesville and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Elliott, of Warrensburg.

General Motors House Appliances Reduced

DETROIT, May 8—(AP)—A five per cent price reduction on household appliances was announced by General Motors Corp. today.

General Motors said the same price cut would apply to small electric motors used in such appliances.

The appliances include electric refrigerators, ranges, ironers, clothes dryers and water heaters, and automatic washing machines, GM said.

GM's Frigidaire division at Dayton, Ohio, produces the appliances.

Engagement Announced

BOSTON, May 8.—(AP)—The engagement of Emily Saltonstall, daughter of U. S. Sen. and Mrs. Leverett Saltonstall, to Richard Evelyn Byrd, Jr., son of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Byrd of Boston was announced today.

Home From Hospital

Mrs. Jesse Anderson, who was injured recently in an automobile wreck and has been in the Clinton hospital, has been brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Warbritton, 1436 South Sneed avenue.

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Man Who Made Good In Honolulu Returns to First Love, Sedalia

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team. She was a lot younger but she could play ball and she's a real ball fan now." She is now Mrs. Louise Strelow of this city. Prof. Smith recalled many of the old timers in east Sedalia as the family lived on Sixth street east of Engineer avenue.

The Smith family later moved to the country near the Missouri Pacific shop. "Out there near Will McVey's place. That was country then. No houses anywhere. I attended McVey school" he said. "Graduated from there fifty years ago. I want to get out there and see it." That is the little red brick school on east highway 50.

"I went one year to high school and that was where I knew Irwin Raut," he said.

Raut Remembered Him

The other day I was standing on the street when I heard someone say: "Well, hello Smith," I turned around and there was Irwin Raut. "How he knew me after all those years, I'll never know. He even knew me with this beard. "I only had a mustache when I left."

"I went to work at the Katy shops," Mr. Smith said, "Then in 1901 went to Texas but came back to Missouri in 1903 and went to work as a fireman out of Jefferson City."

Mr. Smith hadn't forgotten his railroad friends either. He made a call out to see W. G. Martin, retired Missouri Pacific engineer.

"I fired for Bill Finnell," he said, "And I went out to see his family." Mr. Finnell died a number of years ago.

Entered University

In 1904 Prof. Smith entered the University of Missouri at Columbia from which he was graduated with several degrees. He hopes to go to Columbia for the graduation this year. After working his way through college he taught school, was principal at Caruthersville and was a professor of chemistry at Culver-Stockton college, Canton, Mo., and the Southeast Agricultural school at Monticello, Ark., he taught a second time at Culver Stockton and was with the experimental station at the University of Missouri. He taught at Mt. Morris college in Illinois and Central college in Indiana.

One day Prof. Smith received a telegram. "It was out of a clear blue sky," he said, and it offered him a job teaching chemistry in Honolulu.

Two Years Grew To 24

"Honolulu is a mighty long ways off," he said, but his wife thought it might be fun—just for a couple of years. That was 24 years ago and he has been there ever since.

In about 1928 Prof. Smith was making a talk before a group of people on chemistry. "Many things could be made here in Honolulu that are now being imported" he said in his talk. He merely stated a fact and thought nothing of it at the time.

After his talk several Honolulu business men came to him and asked him about the statement he had made about being able to make in their own country many things they were importing. "They wanted to be shown and so," said Prof. Smith, "it was up to me to show them. I had to prove I was right," he said.

He made samples of products and at once they wanted him to manufacture them. Wanted to give him orders, big orders.

"The next thing I knew I was in business—I was just pushed in." Mr. Smith said.

Did Pretty Well

"And you made plenty of money," said a reporter.

The professor smiled and stroked his graying beard as he replied: "I did pretty well."

On April 19 Prof. Smith completed his last transactions on selling out his business and the next day he took a plane to Burbank, Calif., on his way to Sedalia.

"I came back to see who was still living and who was dead" he said, "I have seen quite a few of my old friends. We are all granddaddies now. And we show each other pictures of our grandchildren and tell all about them." With that he pulled two pictures from his pocket, the first of his 20 year old daughter, Eloise, who sells radio time for KGMB. Eloise is an attractive blond girl. The other picture was of Robert Milton Smith, III, 5 year-old son of his oldest boy, Robert Milton Smith, II, who is with an oil company in California. His youngest child, Herbert, 18, graduates in June. Mrs. Smith, who doesn't care much to travel, didn't want to make the trip back to the states.

Same Business Houses

"Do you find things changed here?" the reporter asked.

"No," Mr. Smith said, "Sedalia has grown a great deal both east and west, but I can still find my way around. Many places look familiar. Old Ohio street looks natural, same old firms in business, McLaughlins, Bichsels, Hoffmans, Bards Drug store, and Dugans."

"And that old Missouri Pacific railroad station," he laughed, "It hasn't changed a bit since I first saw it, It looks just the same."

"But, why," he asked, "Did you Sedalia people ever let them put filling stations on Broadway and Ohio? Broadway was always the most beautiful residental street in the state of Missouri. That old Jaynes mansion there on the corner—that at least should have been kept for a park. I can see why any company would want that corner for a filling station but it meant so much to the town."

Wants To Go Fishing

"How long do you expect to stay here," he was asked.

He fingered his helmet style hat which is the type worn in tropical regions, and there was a boyish twinkle in his eyes as he replied: "I don't know—but there is one thing sure I'm not going to leave until I go fishing with some of my old friends at Muddy like we used to do when we were boys."

And so Prof. Smith is here wanting to see anyone and every one he ever knew in Sedalia and his old friends may find him at the Terry hotel where he is stopping. Prof. Smith, whose career took him thousands of miles away and yet whose memories brought him back to a spring in Missouri where he could renew his boyhood friendships and make new ones in Sedalia, the spot he never forgot.

Organized Baseball Back In Courts

Cardella Brings Suit for $300,000 Against Giants

By Joe Reichler

NEW YORK, May 8 — Organized baseball is back in the courts again, faced with another test case to determine whether its reserve clause and its peculiar contractural setup is legal.

The latest to challenge organized ball and its singular method of doing business with the players is Danny Gardella, former outfielder of the New York Giants.

Gardella, suspended from organized baseball by Commissioner A. B. Chandled for "contract jumping" to play in the Mexican league, has brought a $300,000 damage suits against the Giants and high baseball officials. He contends the reserve clause in the uniform contract constitutes an illegal restraint of trade. He also contends the wide disciplinary power exercised by Chandler deprived him of his livelihood.

Defense Urges Dismissed

Federal Judge Henry W. Goddard has taken under advisement a defense motion to dismiss the suit. Louis Carroll, attorney for the defendants, urged dismissal on the ground that exhibition of baseball games has been ruled "neither interstate nor trade or commerce" by the U.S. supreme court as far back as 26 years ago.

Frederic A. Johnson, Gardella's counsel, expressed belief that this decision does not apply in the current suit because "with the advent of radio and national advertising of sponsors of baseball broadcasts, that case has been outlawed and is obsolete."

The Gardella suit first came up on Oct. 2, 1947, before Federal Judge John Bright, who died before he was able to render a decision.

All baseball folk are, naturally enough, greatly interested in the outcome of the suit. They realize an adverse decision might wreck the structure on which the game was built.

Built Around Reserve Clause

Baseball is built around the reserve clause. This clause binds the player to the club with which he signed a contract. Under its provision, the player cannot play or negotiate with any other club until his contract has been assigned or he has been released.

On the other hand, a club may assign a player's contract to another club without prior consultation with the player. It can also terminate his contract any time it wishes.

The reserve clause, however, acts as a protective measure for the poorer clubs. Should it be abolished, a player would then be in a position to join any club he chooses once his contract expires.

Such a state of affairs would result in many of the star players flocking to the wealthy clubs. For instance, topflight performers like Bob Feller, Ewell Blackwell, Hal Newhouser, Joe DiMaggio, Johnny Mize, Ralph Kiner, Stan Musial and others might decide to sign up with the same club. This would make a mockery of the pennant races and probably signal the end of organized baseball.

On Heels of Similar Charges

Gardella's suit comes on the heels of similar charges made by Robert Murphy, a Boston union organizer, in the Massachusetts legislature, and by lawyers for the Mexican league in the New York supreme court. They contended the major leagues' player agreement is "monopolistic and tended to restrain trade and commerce in violation of the Clayton anti-trust laws."

Despite rumblings of player dissatisfaction heard since 1880—the year incidentally, when the reserve clause was adopted—attempts to capitalize on such feelings by lawyers never have succeeded. What few court decisions there were, with one exception, served to strengthen the contract relations.

Alabama and Auburn Meet After 40 Years

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 8.—(AP)—Alabama and Auburn, who broke off athletics relations in 1907 after the Crimson Tide ran in some tricky new plays on the Tigers, will play football again Dec. 4.

The site of the game Alabamians have been waiting 40 years to see hasn't been selected yet. Best bets are that it will be in Birmingham, or possibly Mobile. Both are neutral fields and have larger stadiums than either of the colleges.

The announcement that the rivals will play Dec. 4 was made jointly in Montgomery today by heads of the two schools—acting president Ralph Druaghon of Auburn and Dr. John M. Gallalee, president of Alabama.

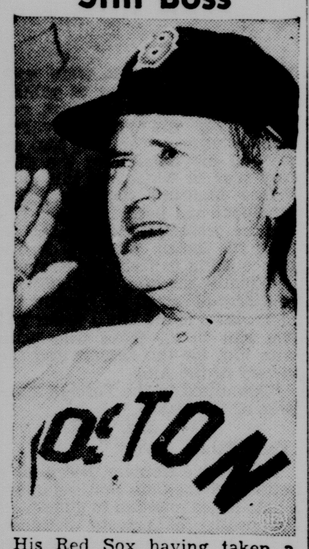
The Crimson tide met the Tigers on the football field for the first time in 1892. Except for a four-year lapse before the turn of the century, the series continued until after a 6-6 tie in 1907.

To Attend Television Institute

Bob Stubinger, formerly of 506 South Summit avenue, left Monday for Omaha, Neb. where he will attend the Radio Electronic Television Institute.

He was formerly employed as a clerk at the Bothwell Hotel.

Still Boss



His Red Sox having taken a two-out-of-three series from the world champion Yankees, Joe McCarthy demonstrated that he still has the managerial touch that made him the winningest manager of them all when he was Yankee pilot.

Community News From Sweet Springs

By Miss Dolly Andrew

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Guier, Robert and Charles Guier, Miss Nettie Pelot and Charles Pelot attended the recital Friday evening given by John McCoy at Stewart chapel in Marshall.

Mrs. C. A. Jackson spent Wednesday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey House and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wylie visited Miss Barbara House and Keith House at Fayette and Miss Mary Ann Wylie at Columbia Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. K. Smith went to Kansas City Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Dunlap, Mr. Dunlap and children, Stephen, David and Sally.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Merritt and son, Peter, of Riverside, Calif., came last week for a visit with Mrs. Merritt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Yessen, and her sister, Mrs. Huston Elsner and children.

Tom Weir, of Columbia, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Weir.

Rev. and Mrs. William Sampson and son, Billy Gene, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and daughter, Carol Ann, and Mrs. Bernice Burruss attended a young adult conference at Smith's Chapel church south of Marshall Sunday night.

Mrs. Birdie Fulkerson, of Marshall, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkerson.

Rev. and Mrs. Lenox Crockett went to Mount Olive church near Marshall Sunday afternoon where Rev. Crockett assisted in a baptismal service.

L. W. Fristoe was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Fortnightly club and their guests Monday evening in the music room at the high school. Mr. Fristoe spoke on "Youth and Its Problem."

Mrs. Dallas Parker and daughter, Patty, of St. Louis, are guests of Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Parsons, and her brother, Cpl. Clay Parsons.

Mrs. Willie Laughlin, Mrs. Lula Pauley, Mrs. Norman Fricke and Mrs. Claude Burnett spent Saturday in Sedalia.

Mrs. Lester Turner, Mrs. Mote Haggard and Mrs. Edwin Akerman spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Deracken left Saturday for Chicago where they will reside.

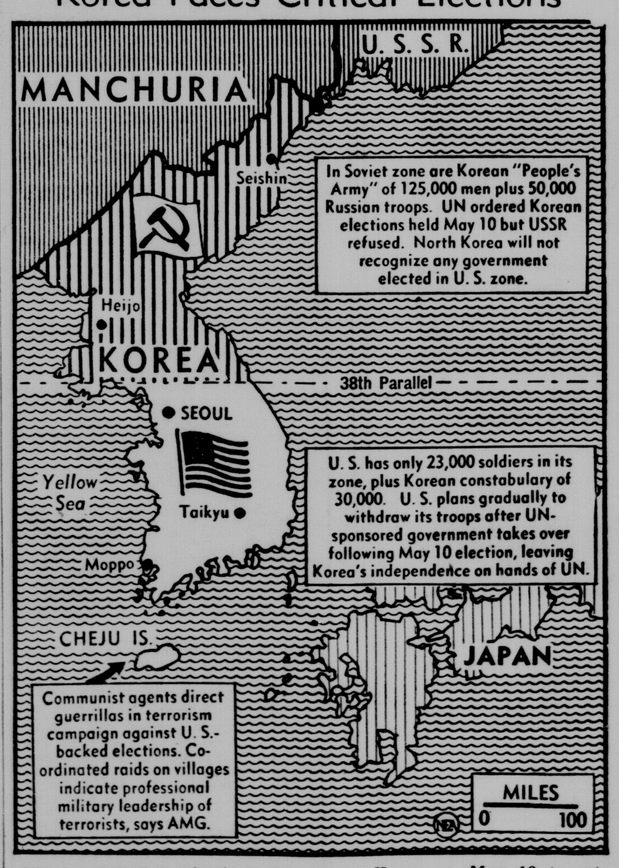
J. W. Mullineaux, of Wichita, Kas., is visiting his daughters, Mrs. Howard Lear and family, and Mrs. Arthur Lemmons and family.

Mrs. Frank O'Donnell, of Marshall, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Dorothea Hoffman and her sister, Mrs. Elmer Mueller, Mr. Mueller and children.

Miss Dolly Andrew spent Monday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tipton attended the observance of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Marvin Burk, of Marshall.

Korea Faces Critical Elections



UN ordered free elections throughout Korea on May 10 to set up independent, democratic government, but USSR refused. U. S. is sponsoring elections in its zone, shown on map. Observers fear American withdrawal of occupation forces following election may be curtain-raiser for civil war between Red-backed north and anti-Communist south.

Body of Youth In Iwa Jima Picture Home

ELIZAVILLE, Ky., May 8—(AP)—Pfc. Franklin Sousley, 19, Fleming county farm boy who helped raise the United States flag on Iwo Jima during World War II, was buried in a simple ceremony in his home cemetery today.

Sousley, one of five U. S. marines in the now famous flag raising picture made by AP Photographer Joe Rosenthal, was killed in mopping up action on the small Pacific island a few days after the picture was made in 1945.

About 300 persons, including Sousley's mother, other relatives and Gov. Earle Clements, attended today's military funeral.

Sousley, identified as the marine at the extreme left in the flag raising picture, wrote his mother on Feb. 27, 1945: "Look for my picture because I helped put the flag up."

It was his only reference to the picture.

Community News From Tipton

Rev. and Mrs. George Gray had as their guests Sunday, Rev. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gray, of Windsor, and two of his sisters, Mrs. Kenneth Mosier, of Windsor, and Mrs. May Field, of Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yontz took Mr. Yontz's aunt, Mrs. Lucy Gucker, as far as St. Louis Sunday on her return to her home in Mattoon, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Moore, of St. Louis, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Moore's aunt, Miss Bertie Snorgrass.

The Tipton school has completed most of its teaching staff for next year. Superintendent, Ira Grubb; principal, Webster Thomas; vocational agriculture, Roscoe Gibson; commerce, Mrs. Aubrey Bixler; mathematics, Mrs. Stanley Palmer; coach, Lloyd Helms. In the high school a music director and English teacher remain unselected. In the grades, Mrs. Gladys Miller, Miss Alma Lander and Mrs. Vivian Allison complete the staff.

L. W. Shipley, well-known Tipton resident, has been hospitalized in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bowling and daughter attended the funeral Saturday of Mrs. Bowline's mother, Mrs. Katie Monsees at Lake Creek.

Mrs. A. K. Alexander has returned from a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ruffiner, at Sontana, Kas., and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alexander and family at Borger, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hood and members of the family attended the wedding April 24 of their son, Edward Hood and Miss Margaret Forch, at Jefferson City.

The American Legion baseball league and members of their families enjoyed a picnic Sunday near Bagnell Dam.

Mrs. Al White and daughter, Ann, arrived in Tipton Thursday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Oscar Hays and her brothers, Douglas Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stark, of Jefferson City, motored to Tipton Sunday being joined by Mrs. Stark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass, on a trip to Mexico, Mo.

Mrs. S. R. Ferguson and Miss Lily John motored to Lincoln Sunday where they were guests of a former pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. John T. Richetts.

James Lot Howard, 90 years old, a life-long resident of Tipton, died at a rest home in McGirk April 30. Funeral services were held at the Richard funeral home Saturday afternoon with Rev. J. L. Freeman, of Versailles, officiating.

Mr. Howard is survived by a brother, Steve Howard, of Tipton.

Interment was in the Masonic cemetery.

Represented Life Magazine

Life magazine, of which Wilson Hicks, (above) former Sedalian, is executive editor, was one of the two publications, the other the Atlanta Journal, to receive honor awards for distinguished service in journalism, by the University of Missouri Friday. Five graduates of the university were also honored.

Mr. Hicks, also a graduate of the university, was in Columbia representing his magazine. Life was cited for "Its leadership not only in the techniques of picture-making and picture-reproduction, but also—in the art of editing," and for its accomplishments in making the "Crucial national and international problems of the day vivid and interesting to the general reader."

A picture of Mr. Hicks and an article on the presenting of the awards apeared in the Friday evening Kansas City Star.

On Thursday Mr. Hicks and Francis Reiss, a young student at the university from England, were luncheon guest of Mr. Hicks' sisters, Misses Rubye and Mayte Hicks, 1118 West Seventh street.

Cold Weather Comes With Blackberry Blooms, Legend

Old timers will tell you that the cold spell we had last week was blackberry winter. Every spring about this time when the blackberries bloom we have a cold snap. What connection there is between the cold spell and the blackberries is still a mystery but the fact remains that we do have cold weather every year when the blackberries bloom—so these people who know say.

Whether the blackberries bloom because it turns cold or whether it turns cold because the blackberries bloom, we don't know—we wouldn't know a blackberry bloom if we saw it, but it seems that the two always get together.

A good many years ago an elderly woman by the name of Mrs. Farris used to say: "We're going to have a cold spell, the blackberries are about ready to bloom" and a son in a neighbors' family who didn't like the cold snap would say each year in disgust: "Old Mrs. Farris and her blackberry blooms," much to the amusement of members of his family. He and the members of his family have long been gone but the story has been handed down through the generations. The cold spell of weather in the spring never comes that members of that family don't remark: "Old Mrs. Farris and her blackberry blooms."

Community News From Green Ridge

By Mrs. Verna Palmer

Mrs. Wilford Acker, assisted by Mrs. F. W. Smithpeter, Mrs. J. A. Gordon and Mrs. J. M. Palmer was hostess to members of the Green Ridge Garden club on Tuesday afternoon May 4 at her home in Green Ridge. Twenty members of the Knob Noster Garden Club were special guests and Mrs. George Landis of LaMonte was also a special guest.

At 1:00 o'clock the president, Mrs. F. E. Helman, presided over the business meeting. Delegates appointed to attend the annual State Federation to be held at Columbia on May the 18th and 19th were; Mrs. Roy Ragar and Mrs. J. A. Gordon. Alternates appointed were; Miss Erma Whallen and Mrs. J. M. Palmer. The flower show to be held by the Green Ridge Garden club on May 26 at the high school building was discussed. At 2:00 o'clock a dessert course was served by the hostesses.

The Knob Noster club members presented the program which was very interesting. The theme of the program was, "Those Roses." The president, Mrs. Frank Neitzert presided over the program. Mrs. Walter Sibert told several interesting "Legends of the roses and Mrs. C. F. Covey sang "The Rosary." Mrs. Neitzert talked on diseases and insects that attack roses ending her talk with an invitation to the Green Ridge club members to be their guests on Wednesday May 12 which was accepted. Mrs. Landis brought some new vegetables from her garden that she had grown and gave a short talk.

Special were corsages made by the members of the Green Ridge Garden Club. Aftr the corsages were judged they were presented to the guests.

Guests present other than those mentioned were; Mrs. Ada Schlusing, Mrs. Ada Kendrick, Mrs. Jessie Busby, Mrs. Charles Holland, Mrs. O. W. Peithman, Mrs. James Logsdan, Mrs. P. G. Little, Mrs. Addie Benson, Mrs. Walter A. Underwood, Mrs. Virgil Lane, Mrs. A. L. Berry, Miss Florence M. Beaty, Mrs. Laura B. Roadsrick, Mrs. Patsy Woody, Mrs. Louis Lay and Mrs. R. H. Thompson. There were twenty five members of the Green Ridge club present.

Judgment Appealed To Supreme Court

In the suit filed by Mrs. Minnie B. Herrick against Emery Leo Herrick and others, on a declaratory judgment, a motion for a new trial was overruled by Judge Hoffman in circuit court.

The defendants immediately filed notice of appeal to the supreme court of Missouri.

The suit was one brought by Mrs. Herrick, widow of the late Emery Herrick, in which she asked the court to determine whether certain parts of the estate belonged to her or to other heirs and parties she named.

Find Large, Beautiful Moth

George Smith, 1422 South Harrison avenue, found a large moth on his way to work at the Missouri Public Service company Saturday morning, which he brought to the Sedalia Democrat-Capital.

The markings on the moth were unusually beautiful, in tones of brown, rust and several shades of tan. The body had dark brown stripes across the back and a row of brown dots on each side.

Didn't Believe His Girl Friend Was Too Young

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 8—(AP)—When police picked up a man who was loitering suspiciously at a street corner last night he explained he was watching the home of his girl friend.

"I was afraid to go to the door," he told Police Captain Howard Walsh. "Her father doesn't like me."

"Perhaps he feel you are too old for his daughter," Walsh said, noting that the man gave his age as 56.

"I don't think so," the despondent lover replied. "She's 52.."

Children Pay Tribute To Their Mothers, Young or Old

There was a far away look in the eyes of a young mother employed downtown recently when she said: "I feel that I am missing something."

After a brief silence she continued: "I have a little boy at home, below school age and I feel that I am missing something by not being home with him—I feel that he is missing something, too."

"I thought I would work a year," she said, "Until we get on our feet again, but I don't know. I don't know whether it is worth it or not—with what my child and I are both losing."

Money Isn't Everything

Circumstances sometimes make it so that a mother is deprived of those golden hours of rearing her children and certainly that is a real sacrifice to those who are real mothers. If she can manage at all without that pay check she brings in, no money is worth the joy of those years of her youngster's childhood that pass all to quickly

To a child home means but one thing—Mother. Without her the house is empty no matter how many people are in it. That is as it should be. She is the one person placed upon the pedestal and adored by her whole household.

Her Day

This day is hers. It matters not if she is old or young a tribute is paid to her for those many little things and big things that go along with the job, the happy job of being a mother.

If she is gone, no matter how many years have passed, her children still tell of the things she did and said. A mother never really dies as long as one of her children lives.

Today is Mother's Day and over this great nation mothers are receiving gifts, cards, letters, calls and visits from their children. They may be expensive gifts or they may be a hand full of flowers picked by tiny hands in the backyard—but they all have the same value to mother—in the gift she sees but one thing—the love with which it is given.

BLFE Ladies Have Meeting At Dunn Home

Honor Daughter Of Joshua Leach, Lodge Founder

The regular metting of the Ladies of the B. of L. F. and E. Lodge 125, was held at the home of Mrs. J. P. Dunn in Dresden on Thursday, May 6.

A 1:00 o'clock luncheon was served to 25 members by Mrs. Dunn assisted by Mrs. Eddie Deuel.

The guest of honor was Mrs. R. R. Cunningham, who is a charter member of the organization and a daughter of Joshua A. Leach who was the founder of the B. of L. F. and E. Mrs. Cunningham has been a member for 56 years.

During the business meeting a new member, Mrs. F. C. Lietzke, was taken into the organization, coming to Sedalia from New Franklin lodge 12.

To Charter Bus

It was voted to charter a bus to go to the state convention at Hannibal which will be held June 14, 15 and 16, with Mrs. C. S. Long, president, as representative.

All members planning to attend the convention are asked to contact Mrs. Long for bus schedule and the day it will leave.

The cook and bake basket is going from home to home from which contributions will be used to help in expenses for the convention.

Mrs. Long presided over the business meeting. A social session was enjoyed at which time secret pals exchanged gifts in honor of Mother's Day.

Personals

Wayne Rucker, student of Central College at Fayette, is spending the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Rucker, 1000 South Carr avenue.

Miss Louise Chasnoff, 815 South Ohio avenue, had as her guest last week-end Miss Helen Searles, of Kansas City.

Miss Beth Dewar, superintendent of nurses at the Bothwell hospital, is leaving the latter part of this week for Boston to spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Alice Gifford.

T. W. Slane, who is with the American Optical Company in St. Louis, arrived in Sedalia Friday night to spend Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Slane, 916 West Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mobley and children, Sandra, Jimmy and Billy, of Pittsburg, Kas., are here to spend Mother's Day with Mrs. Mobley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Gudorp and family, 236 South Missouri avenue.

Miss Faye Johnson, student at C. M. S. C. Warrensburg, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson and her sister, Ruth, of 1408 South Osage.

Mrs. W. C. Mewes, of Sedalia Route 3, will have as her guests for the week end her sister, Mrs. Anna Weis; her son, Edgar Weis and Mrs. Clarence Weis and daughter Sandra Lee all of St. Louis.

Mrs. Edna Mertz Carman, who has been with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Bard, 209 East Broadway, left Thursday for Rochester, N. Y., to visit her daughter, Mrs. William Lane.

Albert Allgaier, of the Terry hotel, returned home Saturday after spending a few days with his brother, Jack Allgaier in St. Louis. He was accompanied by Jack Cooney, who visited his father, Harry J. Cooney. While there they attended a Cardinal baseball game.

Mr .and Mrs. Harry J. Cooney and daughter, Teresa, will spend today with Mr. Cooney's parents, in St. Joseph.

Wildly-Thrown Ball Kills Baby

ST. LOUIS, May 8. — (AP) — A year-old boy was killed in his mother's lap today when a wildly-thrown baseball during a game of catch by two teen-age boys struck the child under the heart.

The child, Douglas Lee Warner, was pronounced dead upon arrival at a hospital. The mother, Mrs. James Warner, was seated on the front steps of their home when the fatal wild throw occurred.

The boys, Lowell Conway, 13 and Bobbie Savage, 15, were playing catch on the lawn next door. Mrs. Warner said she was watching some children across the street and didn't see the ball coming.

Attended Conference

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Gorrell of 819 South Vermont avenue had as guests for the past week, Mrs. Malcolm Gentry and Mrs. Anna McKiernan, both of Hannibal, Mo.

While here, they attended the State Convention of the Missouri Disciples of Christ.

Mrs. Gentry is to be president of the Hannibal Missionary Council for next year.

Mrs. McKiernan has a son who is a Christian preacher in the state of Iowa.

BIRTHS..

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hickman, 325 North Stewart avenue, at 1:10 o'clock Saturday morning, at the Bothwell hospital. Weight: eight pounds, three ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young, Route 2, Kansas City, at 5:30 o'clock Saturday morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: eight pounds, 11 ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Keeller, 1017 South Merriam at Bothwell hospital Saturday morning at 6:17 o'clock. Weight: eight pounds, 11 ounces.

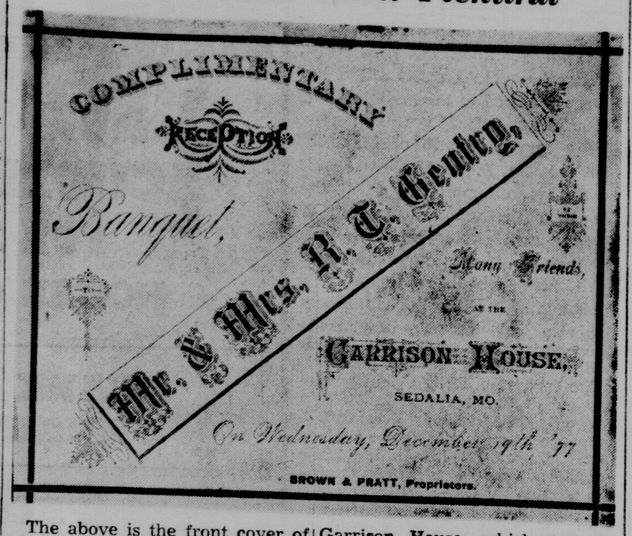
What Happens On The Eighth Day?

Your Vacation Can Pay Dividends

Elsewhere in this issue is the announcement of the opening of a vacation cottage where the rates on a declining scale make the 6th day free and the 7th cost even less. With rates starting at $3.00 for the first day the decline is 50 cents per day until on the 7th day you are actually paid $1.00 for remaining as a guest.

The place is Hobnob House at Cath-Mar-Ann, the lakeside property of the John Campbell Staleys. The property was named for the three young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Staley. Mr. Staley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Staley of 109 W. 7th and Mrs. Staley is the former Virginia Waddell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost Waddell of 917 South Grand.

Food Must Have Been Plentiful



The above is the front cover of a menu card for a complimentary banquet given at the Garrison House, in Sedalia, on Wednesday, December 19, 1877, for Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gentry. It was brought to the Democrat-Capital office by Howard M. Brown, of 908 South Osage avenue, whose grandfather was a member of the firm, Brown and Pratt, then proprietors of the Garrison House, which was located about where the Missouri Pacific is today.

Particularly interesting is the menu served on the occasion, a copy of which follows:

Menu

Soups: Oyster a la Plassy, Quenelles a la Regence.

Boiled: Turkey, Oyster Sauce, Leg of Mutton, Caper Sauce, Capon, Egg Sauce, Corned Beef, Ham

Removes: Roast Suckling Pig a la Chipolatta, Tenderloin of Beef Larded with Mushrooms, Boned Capon a la Perigord

Roasts: Roast Turkey Stuffed with Oysters, Loin of Veal, Leg of Southdown Mutton a la Anglaise, Chicken with Dressing

Entrees: Salmi of Teal Duck with Mushrooms, Chicken a la Montmorency, Sheeps Tongue a la Maintenon, Chicken a la Montmorency

Game: Saddle of Venison with Red Currant Jelly, Broiled Prairie Chicken a la Maitre d'Hotel, Mallard Duck a la Macedoine, Wild Turkey with Cranberry Sauce, Broiled Wild Goose a l'Aberdeen.

Relishes: French Mustard, Celery, Walnut Catsup, Tomato Catsup, Lea & Perrins Worcestershire Sauce

Ornamental Dishes: Boned Turkey with Savoy Jelly, Whittakers Ham with Champagne Jelly, Aspic of Fowl a la Reine, Boned Poulard Garnished with Jelly, Gelatine Suckling Pig with Aspic Jelly, Chicken Salad, Lobster Salad, Pressed Corn Beef

Pastry, Neapolitaine Cake a la Chantilly, Mille-feuilles Cakes a la Celestine, Apples a la Portuguese, Croquantes of Oranges, Ornamented Jelly Pie a la Meringue, Gross Meringue with Strawberries, Pyramid of French Ring Kisses with Silver Webb, Ornamented Fruit Cake, Pyramid of Lady Fingers with Gold Webb Almond Macaroons, Pyramid of Macaroons with Gold Webb.

Dessert: Ornamented Pound Cake, Ornamented Lady Cake, Cocoanut Macaroons, Almond Cake, Cream Meringue, Macedoine of Fruit Jelly, Champagne Jelly, Maderia Wine Jelly, Lemon Jelly, Tartar of Cream, Metropolitan Cream Lemon Ice Cream.

Fruits: Louisiana Oranges, California Pears, Malaga Grapes, Home-Made Confectionery, Honey Drops.

The Clothes for Friendship project that has been the major interest of Sedalia Girl Scouts since early in 1948 will continue as an important part of their summer activities program, according to Mrs. Elmer Dillard, commissioner.

"The Girl Scouts are too aware of the great need for clothing for destitute children abroad to relax their effort even for a month or two," she explained. "One hundred thousand kits of rehabilitated clothing is our national goal for 1948, and it is a big undertaking. The goal for Sedalia Girl Scouts is one hundred kits and it is still a big undertaking. Furthermore, the need abroad is tremendous. Reports from the American Friends Service Committee, which is shipping and distributing the Girl Scout Clothing Kits, indicate that the coming winter will see many children in Europe and Asia in real misery due to lack of warm clothing. We can all realize the number of years these children have had few changes of clothing, so their clothing must be outworn and outgrown. Many Girl Scout troops in Sedalia are hurrying their work on Clothing Kits so that they can be distributed to needy youngsters before the cold weather comes."

Christmas Presents

"Much of the clothing being prepared by troop members now will be Christmas presents for youngster abroad," Mrs. Dillard said.

"The Scouts are intrigued by the notion of 'Christmas in July' and are working with a will on their Clothing Kit gifts. They have been spurred on, too, by the report we have received from Chester Bowles, chairman of the International Advisory committee for the United Nations Appeal for Children, who has recently made a trip abroad, said the "Girl Scouts of the United States will make warm friends by sending complete summer or winter wardrobes to children who have no clothes. This is a project that should have the cooperation of every one. I hope that every Girl Scout and her friend will give to the clothes for Friendship drive and the United Nations Appeal for children to make a million warm friends." The clothing committee of the Sedalia Girl Scout Council are preparing their first shipment, of clothes as a contribution to this worthy cause.

Class to Meet

The Friendship class of the Fifth Street Methodist church will hold its regular monthly business session at the church on Thursday afternoon, May 13, at 2 o'clock.

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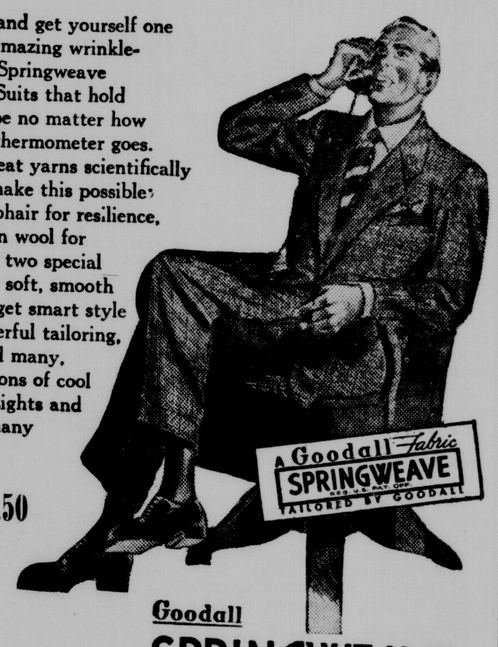

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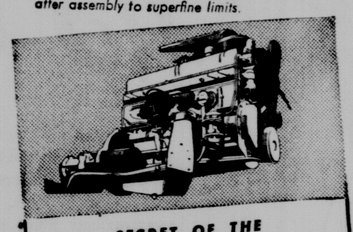
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Berlin Credits His Best Songs To Energy---And Luck

By Saul Pett
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK, May 8(AP)—On Broadway, it's rare for a man to tell stories about himself which might indicate he has something less than an ominpotent genius.

That's only one of the reasons why Irving Berlin is rare. Another is his 40-year career in which he wrote more than 1,000 songs, published about 800 and accounted for dozens of the nation's biggest melody hits.

Interviewed on the approach of his 60th birthday (May 11), the dapper composer tried to dispel any ivory tower mystery that might surround the creation of song. Tunes might have become great, enduring symbols of a mass feeling or an era, but as far as Irving Berlin is concerned they were written only for a specific situation—a first act curtain or a movie production shot or a recruiting campaign.

"The public does something with the tunes after that," he said. "I wrote 'Oh, How I Hate To Get Up In The Morning' just to amuse some guys in my barracks (during World War I)). Look what happened to it.

A White Christmas

"'White Christmas' is a better example. The public read things into it I never intended. Of course, I'm thankful they did."

Shortly before the war Berlin had planned a musical revue about holidays. For the Christmas scene he envisioned a group of sophisticates sitting around a Hollywood swimming pool, with cocktails and long cigaret holders. "White Christmas" was written with that in mind.

"Here, I'll show you," he said, sitting down at his famous trick piano — it has a special lever which moves the whole keyboard into any key. Left to his own devices, Berlin could only play in F-sharp.

In a piping voice, he played and sang the verse to "White Christmas"—about somebody who was tired of sunny Los Angeles and the swimming and the warm weather in December and who was dreaming of spending the holiday midst snow. That was the extent of the man's suffering. No foxholes.

Wound Up In A Movie

"You can see what that would have done to the song's future," the composer said. "Every night I think heaven nobody remembers that verse."

The musical was shelved but the song eventually wound up in a movie. With the help of Bing Crosby it became a national symbol of GI longing for home and peace. Somewhere along the line, the verse was lost in the shuffle.

"White Christmas" has become a phenomenon in Tin Pan Alley. The most successful of all the 800-odd Berlin tunes published since 1907, it has sold 3,500,000 sheet music copies, untold millions of records. Every Christmas, it sells 350,000 copies. Its composer is realistic about it.

"I think it's the most valuable song copyright in the world," he said. "I wouldn't sell it for half a million. No, I wouldn't compare it to great classical ballads like "The Rosary" and others, but remember most of those great ballads are now in the public domain. The copyright on "White Christmas" has 49 years to go."

Can't Read Music

As in the days when he played in bowery saloons and wrote his first tune, "Marie From Sunny Italy," Berlin still can't read or write music. He plays by ear and a long-time assistant sets down the music. Since the composer spends a lot of time in Hollywood or traveling in Mexico, he frequently telephones a new song to New York, playing or singing it while the assistant records the notes.

Most of his work is done away from the piano. Every note of "Doin' What Comes Naturally," from Berlin's smash hit "Annie Get Your Gun," was worked out in his head. There's no set pattern; the melody or lyric may come first. He usually works fast. Comedy songs, he finds, are the toughest. A long song, he said, can be difficult when it has to be very simple.

"I don't believe in inspiration," Berlin said. "I just believe in talent and energy enough to work something out. You can call that last thing ham or ego. Whatever the motive, you need the driving force. I still like people to like my music. That's why I still write it."

Mostly Day Work

He is no prima donna about working conditions. In Hollywood, it's mostly day work. Elsewhere, Berlin prefers to write lyrics at night but he doesn't need a certain kind of place to compose best.

"I work in a cab or on the street or in an office," he said. "I find you take your atmosphere with you."

Song writers, he feels, work in patterns.

"I've always said that I've got only seven or eight really different tunes in my system. The rest are variations. You know, it's amazing how often you can use the same tune over again with a few different twists. It's like reassembling furniture. You work with the same elements, but get a different result."

An extreme example of the Berlin technique for borrowing from Berlin was a tune he wrote in 1917 called "Smile and Show Your Dimple."

"It was a dull cheer-up song," he recalls. "The kind civilians wrote for guys who were doing the fighting. In 1933, I gave it a new lyric for 'As Thousands Cheer.' Then it became 'Easter Parade!"

Information For Aged 65

To help them protect their full social security benefit rights, the Social Security Administration is issuing a special call to workers and former workers who have reached the age of 65, Scott Webber manager of the Sedalia field office announced this week.

Any person covered by the Social Security Act may file his claim at age 65 even though he is still working, according to Mr. Webber. Of course, the eligible wage earner may not receive payments while he is working in a job covered by the program, but by filing application he can prevent any possible loss of benefits in the future. If he keeps putting off making a claim, he might lose some monthly payments which he otherwise would be entitled to.

"So important is this matter that we not only invite, but urge all workers in private industry and business establishments—those who have done some work under social security—to come and see us", Mr. Webber said. "The same applies to the next of kin of any worker who has died."

The Sedalia office is at 106½ West 5th, and is open to the public 8:15 a. m. to 4:45 p. m., Monday through Friday. For the convenience of the residents of this vicinity who cannot come to the office, and who wish an appointment, there is published below a form which they may use. Fill in the blank and mail it to the Social Security Administration.

I am past the age of 65 and wish to inquire about my old age Social Security benefits. I have read your article in the Sedalia Democrat and would like an appointment with your representative. My name is _____, and my address is _____

Royal Neighbors Meet

Violet Camp 607, Royal Neighbors of America will have an all day social meeting at the home of Mrs. John Sole, 912 South Quincy avenue, on Wednesday, May 12.

There will be a contributive dinner served at noon, and all Royal Neighbors are urged to attend these meetings and enjoy the fellowship.

Donald Eugene Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Kelley, of 1919 South Grand avenue, who recently completed his ten weeks training at the Naval Training Station in San Diego, Calif. He spent an eight-day leave at the home of his parents and has now returned to San Diego where he has been assigned as airman and will be stationed at the naval training station in California.

Elections At Smith-Cotton

The Smith-Cotton high school had its annual class meeting to elect next year's class officers Friday morning.

The seniors who will graduate this year, did not meet. The juniors elected for next years senior class officers; President, Charles Rayl; Vice President, Jimmie Dittmer; Secretary-Treasurer, Olen Ballard; Reporter, "Bob" Monsees.

Sophomores chose for their class officers for next years Junior class: President, Dale Whitfield; Vice President, Bob Ray; Secretary-Treasurer, Leo Eickhoff; Reporter, John Mothersbaugh.

Officers chosen by the Freshman for next year's sophomore class: President, Teddy Van Nada; Vice President, "Bill" McCrary; Secretary-Treasurer, Harvey Herrick; no reporter was chosen.

The 8th grade chose for next year freshman class, these officers: President, Harold Jones; Vice President, Ralph Schultz; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Kay Beth Sublett; Sergeant at Arms, Floyd Burton; Reporter, Gloria Flores.

These officers will represent the Smith-Cotton high school in the classes of 48-49 next year.

To Undergo Operation

Mrs. Ed W. Welling, R. R. 3, Sedalia, left Friday morning for Carrollton, Mo., where she will enter the South Side hospital to undergo a major operation Saturday morning.

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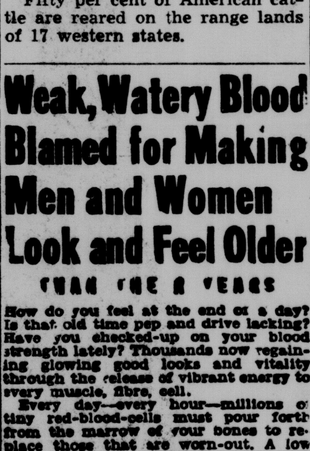

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By Lt. Col. John McCrae

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Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe;
To you, from failing hands, we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow,
In Flanders Fields.

The above poem is requested by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary to Post 2508, which announced Poppy Day, for sale of poppies, will be held in Sedalia Saturday, May 29.

This is the annual affair to raise money to use to aid disabled veterans.

The organization is planning to have a display in the window of the Missouri Public Service Corporation, Fourth street and Ohio avenue.

Mrs. Minerva Ritchey is local chairman of this organization's tag day.

Tribute to Mother's Day

Miss Esther Dilsaver gave a demonstration on "Streamlined Meals," at the meeting of the Sunny Side Homemakers club at the home of Mrs. James DeJarnette. Twenty-six members and guests were present. Miss Dilsaver, with a display of modern kitchen equipment, prepared and cooked a number of dishes which were served at the noon hour.

After dinner Mrs. Charles Spails, club president, called the meeting to order and the club song was sung. Devotionals were given by Mrs. William White, her subject, "The Mother of God."

A program was presented which paid tribute to Mother's Day, National Music Week and National Home Demonstration Week. "America the Beautiful" was sung by the club. Mrs. C. F. Jurries gave "I Am Music." Mrs. Walter Spails gave "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World," and Mrs. Guy Berry gave "A Tribute to Mother." "Just for Today" was given by Mrs. O. W. Light.

During the business session the club voted to give a contribution in support of the Freedom Train.

Mrs. Milton Lewis directed a game in closing.

The June meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. S. Driskell.

Assistant to Navy Recruiter

Paul F. Kienrath, BTC USN, from the Jefferson City office, has been assigned to the Sedalia Navy recruiting office on temporary duty for the month of May. He will assist P. J. McGuire, BTC USN, recruiter in charge of the local office, with enlistments of young men graduating from high schools in the surrounding area. All high school graduates who have had no previous military service are eligible for trade school training under the Navy's high school training program. This program allows young men to enlist in the Navy for certain specific trade schools if qualified. Openings are available for surface craft trade schools, aviation trade schools, medical corpsmen training, and submarine training.

Kienrath's assignment will enable the local recruiting office to remain open at all times during the week to inform and assist young men interested in the Navy for training and career.

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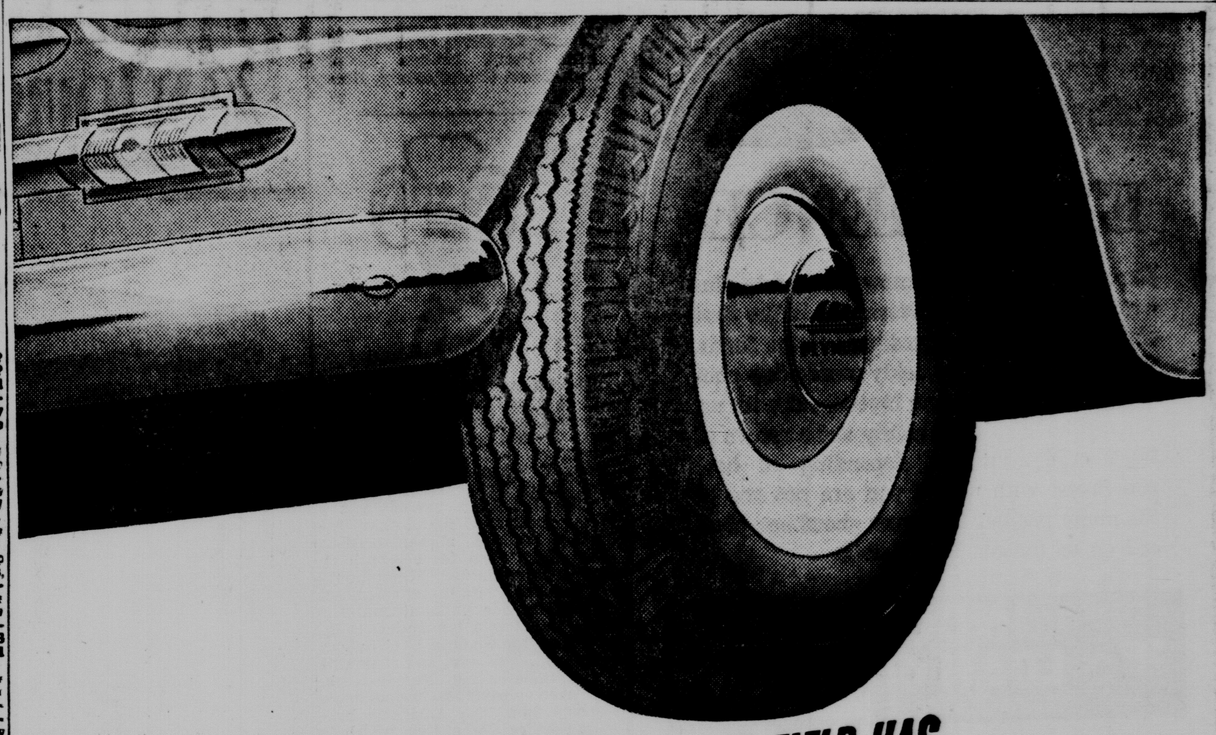
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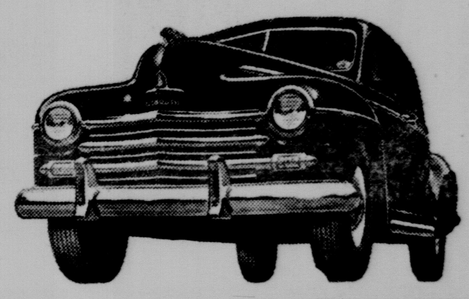

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Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Farley, 1605 West Ninth street, announce today the engagement of their daughter, Lillian, to the Rev. Lloyd W. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Collins, Springfield, Mo. Miss Farley is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school, of Southwest Baptist College, Bolivar, and of Drury College, Springfield, where she was affiliated with several religious and musical organizations, including the Springfield Civic Symphony.

For the past year she has been employed by the Missouri Baptist General Association as director of student work in Springfield.

Rev. Collins, an alumnus of Central College, Fayette, and Central Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Kas., is pastor of the Grant Avenue Baptist church, Springfield. He is a member and secretary of the Executive Board of the Missouri Baptist General Association and moderator of Green County Baptist Association.

The wedding will take place in the fall.

THE June and July social committee of the Sedalia Country club, of which Mrs. C. W. Mathieson is chairman and Mrs. M. E. Gouge, co-chairman, will meet at the Country club at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Hayes was hostess of the day at the Ladies Day luncheon at the Country Club Thursday.

Winners in the bridge game during the afternoon were Mrs. James Darr, Mrs. D. R. Edwards, Mrs. L. S. Geiger, Mrs. E. P. Miller and Mrs. C. R. Bothwell. In the mah jongg game winners were Mrs. John C. McLaughlin and Mrs. Herman Bloess.

There were two out-of-town guests present. Mrs. Robert Sherman, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hedderich and Mrs. Mary M. Harris, of Blackwater.

Miss Jeanne Gregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gregory, 720 East Sixteenth street, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Donald A. Heerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heerman, of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia, is announced today by her parents. (Photo by Lehmer Studio.)

A wiener roast was held at Liberty Park, Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Lorene Miley's 18th birthday.

Those attending were: Lorene Miley, Jeanie Croy, Patty Croy, Shirley Brownfield, Mary Cathryn Siron, Dorothy Jefferies, Donna Naugel, Juanita Harkless, and Mary Helen Turner. Charlie Ramseyer, "Bill" Bodine, Robert Kelley, Jerry Engle, Lester Harrell, Estel Jenkins, and Smoky Caldwell.

Miss Miley received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Lester C. Griswold, of Fortunia, formerly of Sedalia, announces the engagement of her daughter, Patricia, to Russell Beverly Palmer, of Tipton.

A late summer wedding is planned.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Close of Green Ridge and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Wasson of LaMonte were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wasson and children Dale C. and Sheryl Sue at their home southwest of LaMonte.

THE Beta Signa Phi sorority will meet at the home of Miss Margaret Karrigan, 235 South Missouri avenue, at 8:00 o'clock Thursday night.

The Stephens College Alumnae club met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Oscar DeWolf, 503 South Park avenue, with Mrs. A. R. Beach assisting hostess.

Arrangements of spring flowers and snapdragons were used throughout the home.

Following the dessert luncheon a business meeting was held at which the new officers were elected, who will take over their duties in September. They are Mrs. George Routszong, president; Mrs. Oscar DeWolf, vice-president; Mrs. J. B. Funkhouser, second vice-president; Miss Challis Johnson, secretary and Miss Margaret Ferguson, treasurer.

Following the business meeting bridge and rummy were played with the award in bridge going to Mrs. Routszong and in rummy to Mrs. Funkhouser.

Miss Winona Alvina Reiter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reiter of Green Ridge, became the bride of Mr. Earl G. Dillon, son of Mr. and Mrse. Emery Dillon of LaMonte, at 11:00 o'clock Saturday morning, May 1, at the home of the Rev. Orval Woolery in LaMonte, the single ring ceremony being used.

The bride chose for her wedding a white crepe dress with an all around peplum tapering to a point in the back trimmed with wide lace. The sleeves were also trimmed in lace. Her accessories were black and corsage of pink and white carnations.

Miss Mary Ellen Dillon, sister of the bridegroom, was the bride's only attendant. She wore a gray crepe dress with black accessories and corsape of pink carnations.

Daniel Reiter, brother of the bride served as best man.

A reception for the bridal party, immediate families and friends, was held at the home of the bride's parents Saturday evening.

Ice cream and cake were served to those present: Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Dillon, daughter Mary Ellen Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bell and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dillon, daughter Judy Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Skaggs and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reiter and sons Daniel and Robert also Marion Skaggs and Robert Skaggs.

Those invited but unable to attend were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Skaggs, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Twell and daughter Genevieve Harned.

The bridegroom is employed at Town and Country Shoe factory in Warrensburg and the couple will be at home with the bridegroom's parents near LaMonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Dillon were honored at a charivari held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Dillon on Monday night, May 3.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mahin and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Yanker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hall and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wade and son, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wade and son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dillon and daughter, Mr. Schlobohm and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray M. Corkle and daughter, Ed Rittman, Leonard Reavis, Charles Carrol, Bobby Breashears, Connie Sullivan, Misses Pauline Sprinkles, Jean Mahin, Margaret Gregory, Lillian Rice, Mr. Houin, Gerald Lee, Georgetta and H. A. Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dillon, Mrs. Frank Reiter and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Dillon and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Dillon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Platt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNaulty and son Robert of St. Joseph, and Franklin Creagan of St. Louis are all spending the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Betty Creagan of 401 West Seventh street.

Miss Audrey Jean Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris, route two, Sedalia, whose engagement to Mr. Hansel Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Morris, Centerview, has been announced.

The Game Day luncheon was held Tuesday at the Heard Memorial Club House with one table of players remaining for bridge in the afternoon.

Reservations for next Tuesday's luncheon must be in by Monday noon.

Miss Vitula Oelrichs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Oelrichs of Mora, became the bride of Mr. Junior Zimmerschied, son of Mrs. Ben Zimmerschied of Syracuse in a candle-light ceremony at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening, May 1 at the home of the bride's parents with the Rev. H. Renz reading the double ring ceremony.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Florine Oelrichs, cousin of the bride, played "Ave Maria" and "The Lord's Prayer." As the bridal party entered the living room, she played the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin. Mr. Robert Oelrichs, cousin of the bride sang, "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Take Thou My Hand Father."

The bride was attired in a blue crepe two piece street length dress with black accessories and with which she wore a white orchid.

Miss Fern Oelrichs, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of pink crepe with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Mr. Norman Smith, nephew of the groom, served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. A three tier wedding cake centered the table, topped with a miniature bride and groom and encircled with lilies of the valley and ferns with two lighted tapers in crystal holders on each side.

Later in the evening the couple left for a short wedding trip. The bride's going away dress was pink with black accessories.

Mrs. Zimmerschied has been employed in Sedalia with Mrs. Vivian McMullin for the past fifteen months.

Mr. Zimmerschied is a graduate of Syracuse high school and served in the United States Army for eighteen months. Since his return he has been employed with the Missouri Public Service in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerschied will make their home at 1009 West Third street in Sedalia.

Mr. Elbert Close of Green Ridge and Miss Berenice Hume were married May 1 at the home of the bride in North Kansas City at 5:00 o'clock by Rev. C. J. Murphy.

A buffet supper was served after the wedding to the following guests: the bride and groom, Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wasson of LaMonte; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hume and children, Allen, Emily and Judy and Mrs. Mullin of Kansas City and Miss Betty Hume of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hume and Miss Betty Hume, brother and sister of the bride, gave a reception at the Jack Hume home in Kansas City from 8 to 10 o'clock in the evening. Miss Bernita Isley presided at the punch bowl and Misses Noah Hern and Lena Drinkwater served the three tier wedding cake. More than fifty guests called during the evening.

Mrs. Close will complete her school term as a high school teacher in North Kansas City before coming to Green Ridge where Mr. and Mrs. Close will be at home on the groom's farm.

Mrs. Emil Bethke and Mrs. Louis Viebrock entertained with a shower at the home of Mrs. Viebrock, 1006 South Moniteau, on Tuesday evening, April 27, complimentary to Miss Vitula Oelrichs, who became the bride of Mr. Junior Zimmerschied, on Saturday evening, May 1.

The guest of honor received many lovely gifts. After the opening of the gifts, refreshments were served by Mrs. Bethke and Mrs. Viebrock to the following: Miss Oelrichs, Vernetta Fisher, Virginia Van Holten, Louella Schlesselman, Lavona Fisher, Ruby Lee Wischmeier, Mrs. Bill Pahlow, Mrs. Marcus Kueck, Mrs. Frank Pahlow, Mrs. August Fischer, Mrs. Henry Kueck and Miss Dorothy Ann Bethke.

Those who were unable to attend but sent gifts were Hilda, Erma and Emma Schnakenberg and Mrs. Harvey Kueck.

Miss Pauline DeLapp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. De Lapp, Houstonia, became the bride of Mr. William Keith Waite, son of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Waite of Houstonia, Mo., in a ceremony at the De Lapp home at 4:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, April 23.

The double ring service was read by Rev. Walter Jones. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Leland Tuck played "Always" and also accompanied Mrs. Edna Sewell as she sang, "I Love You Truly."

The bride entered from the stairway to the strains of "The Bridal Chorus." She wore a two piece dress of aqua crepe with black accessories. Her corsage was of white rosebuds.

Mrs. E. H. Dillon of Kansas City, a sister of the bride was bridesmaid. She wore a dress of printed crepe with black accessories. Her corsage was of white rosebuds.

The best man was Mr. Duane Waite, brother of the groom.

Mrs. De Lapp, mother of the bride wore a dress of grey with black accessories and a corsage of pink rose buds.

Mrs. Waite, mother of the groom, was attired in a light blue crepe with accessories of black and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

A reception followed the ceremony. The dining table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake decorated with pink rosebuds, topped with miniature bride and groom and on either side of the cake were bouquets of yellow snapdragons. After the bridal couple cut the first piece of cake the remainder was served with punch. Those in charge of the serving were Miss Ann Arnold and Miss Barbara Simmers.

The couple left for a short wedding trip. The bride wore a rose gabardine suit with black and white accessories. Mr. Waite is employed with the Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line company at Olpe, Kas. The young couple will be at home at 418 State Street, Emporia, Kas.

Guests invited to the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dillon and daughters of Kansas City; Mrs. Lola Stevenson, Lane, Kas.; Mrs. Eddie White, Leavenworth, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vinson and sons Warren and Ronnie of Centralia, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Overfelt and daughters, Miss Ann Arnold, Miss Barbara Simmers and Mrs. Edna Sewell all of Sedalia; Mrs. W. C. Westbrook, Mrs. Leland Tuck, Billie Dean Rhinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nutt and Mr. and Mrs. William M. Waite and Duane and Jo Ellen of Houstonia.

A surprise party was given for Patricia Thomas, 320 East Chestnut street, Thursday night in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Those attending were: Mary and Jean Calhoun, Anita and Sonny Bottcher, Georgia and Larry Burnett, Lonny and Jerry Thomas, Ethel Lou Vaught, Helen Shepard, Arlene Snavely, Eugene Richardson and Joe Waters.

The evening was spent in playing games after which refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream was served.

Jimmie Phillips, S 1/c, has returned to the U. S. Naval hospital at Oakland, Calif.

While here a number of parties were given in his honor.

Claude Knight, of 1500 South Missouri avenue, entertained a group of young people at his home Saturday night, May 1, Pinochle and dancing was enjoyed during the evening. Guests were Betty Sue Starr, Janice McMurdo, Dixie Bethleroade, Eleanor Oversby, Betty Alexander, Edward Oversby, Hubert Dotson, Lloyd Hamilton, Jimmie Phillips and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips.

Ice cream and cookies were served. Claude was assisted in entertaining by his mother, Mrs. W. J. Knight and his sister, Janie, after which Jimmie was presented a gift from the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Phillips, Barbara and Billy Dale entertained at a dinner party April 20, at their home in Otterville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Phillips, Mary May, Clara and Joyce, and Joe Avory entertained a number of relatives and friends with a dinner at their home in Hughesville.

Two week-end parties of boat riding and fishing were given in his honor at the Lake of the Ozarks. Guests were Dixie Bethleroade, Betty Sue Starr, Betty Alexander, Jamie McMurdo, Erma Fisher, Patty Croy, Eleanor Oversby, Lloyd Hamilton, Edward Oversby, Hubert Dotson, Claude Knight, Edward Mehl, Jimmie Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips.

For a farewell party Jimmie was entertained at the Old Missouri Homestead with a chicken dinner and dance. Guests were Eleanor Overby, Betty Sue Starr, Betty Alexander, Janice McMurdo, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips, Lloyd Hamilton, Hubert Dotson, Edward Oversby, Jimmie Phillips, Dixie Bethleroad and Claude Knight.

Seaman Phillips returned Monday to California and was accompanied to Kansas City by his mother, Mrs. Jim Phillips, Eleanor Oversby, Claude Knight, Lloyd Hamilton and Hubert Dotson.

A party which started out to be secret pal handkerchief exchange among employes at the Sears office turned out to be a birthday surprise party for Mrs. Raymond Goddard, manager.

Given at the home of Mrs. Tommy Sanders, 604½ South Lamine avenue, on Friday night, the evening was spent in games after which the secret pal handkerchief exchange was held.

Then the hostesses served refreshments and on placecards were tiny bluebirds holding messages which announced that the party was in honor of Mrs. Goddard's birthday anniversary. She was then given a shower of handkerchiefs by the group.

A birthday cake with candles centered the table.

Those present were Mrs. Goddard, Miss Georgia Sullivan, Mrs. Paul Dowdy, Mrs. Charles Bolton, Miss Harriet Turley, Mrs. Archie Wilson, and Mrs. Tommy Sanders.

Church News

Circle No. 7, of the First Christian church, Mrs. K. L. Holdren chairman, will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Carl O'Neel, 214 West Broadway.

Circle No. 2, of the First Christian church, Mrs. A. B. Burke, chairman, has postponed its meeting from May 13 to May 20.

The Saint Margaret's Auxiliary of the Calvary Episcopal church met with Miss Janet Stanley at her home, Meadowood Farm, at 8 o'clock Thursday night with 16 members present. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. William Seelen and Mrs. George E. Dugan, Jr.

The business meeting was followed by a social hour at which time refreshments were served.

Twenty nine members and guests of the Builders' class heard Scudder Hull speak on "What Becomes of Us" Friday night at the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church. He was introduced by Mrs. Richard Gray, program chairman.

In speaking of his experiences and impressions gained in moving the three thousands graves in the development of the Bagnell Dam, Mr. Hull said, "When Confucius, the Chinese philosopher was asked, 'What is behind the doors of death'. His answer was; "I have taught men how to live."

Miss Esther Meisenheimer opened the program with a worship service. Gilbert Wilchens presided over the busines ssession. Colored slides of the Family Camp which was held in August 1947 at Sherwood Forest near Troy, Mo. were shown by Rev. William Bessmer.

The church is endeavoring to interest families in the summer camp program. The Sherwood Forest Camp is the first family camp to be established in the middle west by the denomination. It was directed last year by the Rev. Oscar J. Rumpf, former pastor of the Immanuel church and now secretary of adult education and visual aid on the board of religious education of the Evangelican and Reformed church.

The camp will be held August 28 to September 4 and will again be directed by Mr. Rumpf.

Rev. Bessmer led a period of activity. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dennis and Mrs. Ernest Liebel served refreshments.

Where Garden Circles Will Meet This Week

The circles of the Sedalia Garden club will meet at follows:

Circle No. 1, at the home of Mrs. R. R. Highleyman, 600 west Fourth street, for a 1:00 o'clock luncheon Friday afternoon with Mrs. Harvey Keens, Mrs. Nettie Howe and Mrs. J. E. Bagby as assisting hostesses.

Circle No. 2, with Mrs. A. W. Johns, 2400 South Kentucky avenue, Friday afternoon, with Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mrs. H. A. Hite, assisting.

Circle No. 3, with Mrs. A. H. Wilks, 116 East Broadway, Friday with Mrs Peter Hoffman and Mrs. C. R. Almquist assisting hostesses.

Circle No. 4, on Saturday and will go by chartered bus to Kansas City where they will be at the home of Mrs. F. B. Meyer and daughters, Misses Mary Helen and Frances.

Circle No. 5, with Mrs. Harold Hausam, 207 West Third street, on Friday with Mrs. Charles Arassisting.

Circle No. 6, on Friday will go by bus to Clinton and will meet at the bus station at 10:00 o'clock. The meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. W. Hocker, with Mrs. W. A. Harbaugh and Mrs. J. F. Schumacher assisting

Circle No. 7, with Mrs. William Ilgenfritz, 625 West Broadway, with Mrs. Allen Duff, assisting.

Circle No. 8, with Mrs. H. A. Meyer, 520 North Quincy avenue.

The subject will be: "Whose Nest is That?"

Members of the Garden club planning to attend the state convention to be held in Columbia, May 18 and 19, must have their bus reservation in by Monday with Mrs. J. C. Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl G. Dillon, the latter the former Miss Winona Alvina Reiter, of Green Ridge, who were married Saturday, May 1. They are living near LaMonte. (Lehmer Photo)

Committees For Flower Show Named

The Sedalia Council of Garden clubs will present their annual Flower show on May 22, in Convention Hall at Liberty Park.

In addition to the Flower Show, will also be a Hobby Show and the Junior Garden Club Flower Show.

Preparations are being made to have many unusual and attractive displays and much interest is being shown in the planning of the exhibit.

Committees for the show are as follows:

Executive Committee

Mrs. J. C. Saunders, council president, Mrs. Frank S. Leach, general chairman, Mrs. C. F. Scotten, flower show secretary, Mrs. James Norlin, treasurer, Mrs. Fred Kueck, vice chairman, Mrs. Ida Harriman, vice chairman, Mrs. Philip Pfeiffer, vice chairman, Mrs. F. W. Nicholas, vice chairman, Mrs. L. H. Hodges, vice chairman, Mrs. Robert Phelan, vice chairman.

Staging Committee

Mrs. Fred Kueck, chairman, Mrs. Philip Pfeiffer, Mrs. Ida Harriman, Mrs. W. G. Borne', Mrs. Melvin H. Carl, Mrs. Stanley Haggard, Mrs. William Bessmer, Mrs. E. J. Thomas, Mrs. Robert Phelan, Mrs. John Zulauf.

Publicity Committee

Mrs. C. F. Scotten, Mrs. Walter Brill, All committee chairmen.

Reception Committee

Mrs. J. C. Saunders, Mrs. J. E. Golladay, Mrs. J. W. Boger, Mrs. W. O. Stanley, Mrs. Ida Harriman, Mrs. P. L. Strole, Mrs. Roy Gerster, Mrs. M. P. Shy, Mrs. Linden Jones, Mrs. W. L. Fuqua, Mrs. Arthur Klang, Mrs. C. L. Carter, Mrs. Herbert Seifert, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, Mrs. George Chambers.

Entries Committee

Mrs H. C. Johnson, Mrs. F. F. Durham, Mrs. C. H. Joy, Mrs. James Norlin, Mrs. H. L. Netherton, Mrs. G. H. Routszong, Mrs. Harold Hausam, Mrs. E. W. Kettleson, Mrs. E. W. Rucker, Mrs. E. E. Brummett, Mrs. Charles McNeil, Mrs. Roy Lierman, Mrs. Harvey Keens, Mrs. H. H. Heidbreider.

Receiving Committee

Mrs. F. M. Nicholas, chairman, Mrs. Robert Phelan, Mrs. John Bohon, Mrs. A. R. Griffey, Miss Helen Bapple, Mrs. O. M. Waller, Mrs. A. W. Johns, Mrs. A. A. Wherley, Mrs. A. H. Wilks.

Registration Committee

Miss Lelia Shortridge, Mrs. H. A. Hite, Mrs. C. A. Van Horn, Mrs. William Harbit, Mrs. R. J. Hausam, Mrs. F. I. Lawrence, Mrs. H. L. Hill, Mrs. J. E. Bagby, Mrs. E. B. McNeill, Mrs. Courtis Howard.

Garden Center Committee

Mrs. W. L. Fuqua, Mrs. Ed Heffernan, Mrs. Fred Shaffer, Mrs. W. A. Harbaugh, Mrs. F. W. Koenig, Mrs. John Perdue, Mrs. William J. Frost, Mrs. John N. Johnson, Mrs. R. O. Smith, Mrs. George Dryden, Mrs. J. C. Orender, Mrs. A. W. Johns, Mrs. E. W. Kettesen.

Fashion Show Committee

Mrs. L. H. Hodges, Mrs. Leo Eickhoff, Mrs. Virgil Ragar, Mrs. Norton Heffernan, Mrs. Aubrey Curtis, Mrs. William Ilgenfritz.

Blue Star Memorial Display

Mrs. Herbert Seifert.

Birds Committee

Mrs. A. C. McGowan, Miss Lucy Bothwell, Mrs. W. O. Harris, Mrs. H. C. Feuers, Mrs. W. E. Dobel, Mrs. Jolly P. Hurtt, Mrs. C. K. Parsons, Mrs. Champ Richardson, Mrs. W. W. Blain, Mrs. George Dryden.

Hobbies Committee

Mrs. Tom Yount, Mrs. Roy Kirchhofer, Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. Irwin Raut, Mrs. R. O. Smith, Mrs. H. A. Hite, Mrs. Ivan Berry.

Music Committee

Mrs. Henry Salveter, Mrs. E. F. Yancey, Mrs. Forrest Drake, Mrs. T. W. Croxton, Mrs. A. R. Beach, Mrs. Nellie Monegan, Mrs. W. L. Lewis, Mrs. H. A. Bratten, Mrs. T. E. Gasperson, Mrs. Paul Berthouex.

Supplies Committee

Mrs. John V. Harris, Mrs. T. E. Donaldson.

Tea Garden Committee

Mrs. Paul Read, Mrs. F. M. Nicholas, Mrs. J. R. Fullerton, Mrs. A. R. Scott, Mrs. George Lively, Mrs. W. H. Stephenson, Mrs. B. E. Heacock, Mrs. Carrie Hieronymus, Mrs. Harry Meyer.

Junior Flower Show Committee

Mrs. A. L. Pringle, chairman, Mrs. Herbert Abney, Mrs. T. J. Hutchinson, Mrs. Clayton J. Mitchell, Mrs. Paul Berthouex, Mrs. Joe Ryan, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. A. B. Wade, Mrs. John Griessen, Mrs. Melvin Carl, Mrs. L. J. May, Mrs. C. L. Carter, Mrs. R. C. Smallwood, Mrs. Arthur Klang.

Miss Ann Kennedy, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, Kansas City, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hunter, 1316 East Eleventh street, Sedalia, upon graduation from the eighth grade at St. Xavier's school, Kansas City, won a one-year scholarship to the Loretta Academy.

STYLE GUIDE for today's woman

By Frances Sagaloff at Sage's

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Social Events

Brownie Troop 61, with the leaders Mrs. James Dickman and Mrs. John White, held their final party Thursday, May 2, with all expenses paid by the money in the treasury.

Due to the rain the party was held at the home of Mrs. Dickman and games were played until noon at which time the Brownies roasted wieners and marshmallows in the open fireplace in the yard. At 1:30 all went to Liberty Park where Mrs. White skated with the girls until the party was over at 2:30.

The Brownies are Eulalia Anton, Patricia Burlette, Eleanor Morris, Caroline Steffin, Martha Weimholt, Joan Sedlak, Tony Fowler, Shirley Moriarity and Kay Kirk.

Red Cross Corner

Pettis County Chapter of the American Red Cross was invited to send representatives to a meeting of the Boone County Medical Society at Columbia, Mo. Tuesday, May 4. Dr. Raymond F. Barnes, medical advisor of the Red Cross at area office St. Louis, made an address on the formation of a blood center and mobile unit. To establish a blood center it is necessary to have equipment, a medical advisor, nurses and space for the center and refrigeration. Dr. P. V. Siegel, from the Pettis County Medical Society, Mrs. Eula R. Spencer, executive secretary, Philip McLaughlin, chapter chairman and Mrs. A. A. Studebaker attended from Sedalia, Mo.

Volunteers from this chapter assisted the Tuberculosis Society while the X-Ray equipment was at Smith-Cotton high school to make X-Ray examinations of school children. The chapter is always proud of its volunteers. At the recent visit of the mobile equipment of the Tuberculosis Society for X-Ray Red Cross supplied volunteers to assist.

Junior Red Cross sent ten scrap books and a knitted afghan to area office for distribution this week.

Woman Discuss Their Gardens

The Stokley Extension club met with Mrs. D. J. Harrison for an all day meeting Tuesday.

A contributed dinner was served at the noon hour to 21 members, 20 children and the following visitors: Mr. and Mrs. James Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Forbes, Mrs. Lawrence Whiskur, Louise, Francis and LeRoy Harrison, D. J. Harrison, C. R. Lind and Warren Lind, all of LaMonte.

The meeting was opened in the afternoon by the vice-president, Mrs. Henry Koelling, in the absence of the president. The club song was sung with Mrs. Kermit Stultz at the piano, which was followed by the reading of teh club collect.

Roll call was answered by "A new method or vegetable for my garden."

Mrs. W. A. Means read the devotional and the prayer and Mrs. Logan Colwell gave some thoughts about mothers.

"I am an Instrument of God," was read by Mrs. F. W. Winston and she then dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

James Harrison gave a talk on how to cook foods to save more minerals and vitamins. He had prepared part of the noon meal.

A social session was conducted by Mrs. Kermit Stultz following the meeting.

The June meeting will be with Mrs. Billy Patterson.

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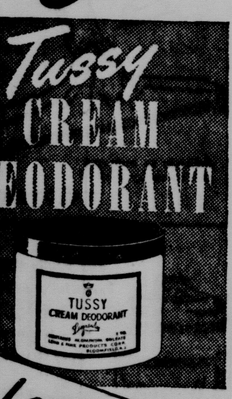
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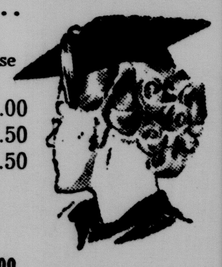

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Guest Artist Here Monday

Margaret Shuck, soprano, and Pat Dunn, baritone, who will be guest artists with the Sedalia Symphony orchestra at the concert to be given at Smith-Cotton auditorium Monday night.

Banquet for Home Teachers

The Sedalia Community Teachers Association enjoyed its annual banquet Tuesday night. The Rev. T. C. Swackhamer, of Marshall, was the speaker. The banquet was held in the Ambassador Room of the Bothwell hotel. Mrs. Alma Hausam, the president of the Community Teachers Association, presided as toast mistress.

The tables were decorated with spring flowers and miniature May poles arranged by the social committee under the chairmanship of Miss Geraldine Teufel.

The invocation was given by E. T. Martin, principal of Jefferson school. J. T. Alexander led group singing and two violin solos by Abe Rosenthal, accompanied by Miss Lillian Fox, were enjoyed. Dr. H. U. Hunt presented the school board members and their wives, who were guests of the teachers.

A brief business meeting gave the nominating committee an opportunity to present the following slate of officers for next year, president, P. A. Sillers; vice-president, Mrs. Roy Spears; secretary, Miss Ruth Rogers. They will be voted on at the May meeting.

Mr. Swackhamer, who is a teacher at Missouri Valley college at Marshall, talked on "Duties of Teachers and Schools in Our Modern World."

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

Sedalians at Pleasant Hill for a day's fishing included Bert Knapp Missouri Pacific train dispatcher, James Neely, clerk for Trainmaster E. M. Dennis, James Gallagher, stenographer in the superintendent's office, James Richards, conductor, clerks Franklin and Withers and Walter Morey.

A dispatch from Paris, France, states that Dr. A. H. Heaton, of Sedalia, president of the Sedalia, Mo. Automobile club, is starting on a six months' European tour to prove that automobiling need only cost $4.68 cents a day. Strict accounts on expenses are to be kept.

Rev. Fr. Joseph Glass, president of St. Vincent's college, Los Angeles, Calif., and Rev. Fr. Hurley, of the same place, spent Sunday with E. G. Cassidy and family in this city.

Ray Nichols, Waller Dalby and Dell Shields leave Tuesday for a few days' camping at Muddy creek.

The stock of goods of the Waldman Clothing company is being moved today into the firm's new building at the southwest corner of Second street and Ohio avenue.

GOP Women To Meet

The Pettis County Republican Women's club will meet in regular session Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the assembly room of the court house.

Special music will be by Mrs. Frank Evans. All county candidates will be introduced.

Report On Security Loan

The citizens of Pettis county are joining in the determination that Security Loans Campaign will be successful in Missouri. The second campaign sales report, released today, reveals that sales of "Security Bonds" in this country during the period April 1 to 30, inclusive, amounted to $70,808. This represents 15.4 per cent of the quota assigned to our county.

Robert E. L. Hill, state chairman, U. S. Savings Bond division for Missouri, when releasing the sales figures stated, "It is obvious that the people of Missouri are becoming more and more conscious of the wisdom of purchasing and holding U. S. Savings Bonds. This is indicated by the increase in sales since the beginning of the Security Loan Campaign. It is also significant that sales are running consistently ahead of redemptions."

Shop Notes

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hayden and children are spending a few days visiting relatives in Portsmouth, Va. Mr. Hayden is a switchman for the Missouri Pacific in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrick, Jr., last Wednesday returned to their home in Austin, Texas, after spending their vacation with Mr. Barrick's parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrick, Sr. Mr. Barrick is a crane follower at the local shops.

Roger Stratton, apprentice instructor with the Railway Educational Bureau of Omaha, Neb. will be at the local shops this week assisting the apprentices with their lessons.

E. Lovins, carman, has been off duty the past month account of sickness. He is getting along as well as can be expected. He spent a few days in a hospital in Kansas City.

Harry Trotter, boilermaker, resumed his duties Saturday after being off duty the past two weeks account of an eye injury sustained while at work on April 24.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mullen were visitors in Kansas City last Friday.

K. V. Larson, gang foreman, was a business visitor in Kansas City last week. His place was filled by C. R. Harrell, machinist.

W. H. Stephenson, machinist, who has been off duty the past three months account of illness, is expected to resume his duties at the local shops on Monday.

G. T. Callender mechanical superintendent for the Missouri Pacific who has been at the local shops the past three weeks ,is spending the week-end with Mrs. Callender at his home in Kansas City.

T. F. Segers, wheel shop foreman, was a business visitor in Kansas City last Thursday.

Missouri Pacific passenger equipment Lounge car 10301 and Diner 10039 were returned to service last week after receiving general repairs at the local shops. Dining-Lounge car 740, Diesel equipment, was returned to service after undergoing a general overhauling.

C. E. Beasley, production engineer, is spending the week-end at his home in Kansas City.

Walter Jesse, assistant machine foreman, will resume his duties Monday after a two weeks vacation. His place was filled by R. Bus during his absence.

W. I. Smith, wheel and box foreman, who has been off the past two weeks account sickness, was a business visitor in Kansas City. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith. L. C. Judd has been handling his duties.

Roll McNeil, requisition clerk in the store department, last week resumed his duties after a two weeks vacation spent visiting relatives in Los Angeles, Calif.

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P-T Council Luncheon, May Meet at Washington School

The spring luncheon and regular May meeting of the Sedalia Parent Teacher Council was held at the Washington school Wednesday, May 5. The Washington, Whittier and Mark Twain PTA members served as hostesses.

The assembly room was decorated with spring flowers. Honored guests were principals of all the Sedalia public schools. They were Edwin Martin, Miss Edith Couey, Miss Catherine Garman, Miss Bessie Perkins, P. A. Sillers and Forest Drake.

Following the lunch the following program was presented by pupils from the Washington school. Dickie Shoemaker was master of ceremonies; Serenade of the Bells, top dance by Marjorie Kearns and Patsy Korando; piano solo, Jeanette Cantlon; Dickie Bird Song, Deanne Crouse and Rose Bradbury, Sandra Bennett, Kenneth Keele, Benny Sands, Sandra Oswald, Bobby Austin, Delores Dillon, Jerry Matthews, Carolyn Abney, Charles Whitehouse, Janice White, Sydonna Hochler; reading by Delores Whittington; Peggy O'Neil, song and tap dance by Deanne and Ronnie Crouse; piano solo, Val Gene Hayworth; Side Walks of New York, song and tap dance, Patsy Corando, Lavetta White, Chester O'Bannon, Ruth Waters, Benny Walters, Nona Jean Wilcox, Larry Lingle, Jimmie Schmitt; reading, Ralph Wilson; April Showers Our Patrol, John Starke, Jerry Strain, David Lingle, Albert Pringle, Dickie Dillon, Roy Davis, Gary Cox, Gerald Harrell, Donnie Stratton, Ellis Fay Richey, Jerry Turner, Shirley Maness, Shirley Hilton, Patty Cramer; P. T. A. Twins, Michael Falmon, Doroth Chamberlin; Faithful Few by Dickie Shoemaker, accompanied by Mrs. Nell Monegan and Mrs. Lela Mathews.

Resume of Year's Work

During the business session, the resume of the year's work in various units were given by Mrs. Leonard William (Broadway); Mrs. J. W. Starke (Washington); Mrs. Robert Cmith (Horace Mann); Mrs. Delmar Napier (Jefferson); Mrs. Byron C. Gates (Mark Twain); Mrs. Henry Menefee (high school); Mrs. Arthur Vinson (Whittier).

New officers for the different units were introduced. Mrs. Verney Engholm, Sedalia district president, gave a brief report of the district work. She stated that Sedalia district, for the second consecutive year, led the entire state in the list of new units.

The following officers were installed for the coming year by Mrs. Verney Engholm: Mrs. John Loague, president; Mrs. Fred Anton, Jr., vice president; Mrs. Frank Lewis, secretary; Mrs. Byron C. Gates, treasurer; Mrs. Raymond Shultz, historian.

Mrs. Loague spoke briefly on the plan of work for the coming year. Mrs. Lloyd Kirkpatrick, outgoing president, was presented a gift as a token of appreciation by the group.

A Deal In Bloodhounds

LONDON — (AP) — American bloodhounds are to fly the Atlantic to be mated with British hounds. In return, British puppies will be flown to the U. S. and sold as pets for $420 to $840 each, or as skilled trackers for the use of U. S. police and prison authorities in man-hunts. The hope is to save the breed from extinction. Famous as trackers for 1,000 years, bloodhounds are now dying out in England because of their high cost and feeding difficulties. An adult hound eats three to four pounds of meat a day. An English breeder has made an exchange agreement with a Chicago kennel.

"Walkie-Talkie" Goes Underground

LONDON — (AP) — "Walkie-Talkie" radios are being tested as a means of quick contact between rescue workers in mine disasters. The ests show it is possible to transmit through the earth.

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Suggestions for getting the most out of the camera.

The South During Reconstruction, 1865-1877 ..... Coulter
Revises older treatments of this period.

Courage On The Telephone

ROGERS, Ark.— (AP) —When a tornado approached this community April 9, 1947, Mrs. Marguerite Miller, telephone operator, courageously remained at her post. For her devotion to duty, Mrs. Miller recently was named "First Lady of the Year" in Rogers by the local chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

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Sedalia has been selected as one of the seven cities in the State of Missouri to be visited each month by a Recruiting Team from the St. Louis Marine Corps office, in was announced today by Master Sergeant Frederick T. Stolley, Public Information Representative of the Marine Corps.

The new plan calls for two Marine sergeants from the St. Louis office to visit Sedalia three days each month for the purpose of interviewing young men who wish to enlist in the Marine Corps.

The first visit by the Marines will be made by Staff Sergeants James Norris and Lester Williams, who will arrive in Sedalia, May 17th and will be stationed in the Post Office building for three days. The two sergeants will be on hand to answer any questions pertaining to either the regular or reserve components of the Marine Corps and they will have information regarding rang re-appointments for those Marine veterans who desire to re-enlist.

Sergeant Stolley also stated that with the reenactment of the Marine Corps Officer Candidate Classes, qualified Marines may rise from an elisted status to officer rank.

Twelve Republican and seven Democratic national conventions have been held in Chicago.

Home Show Exhibits Offer Improved Design For Living

Structural glass blocks assembled with a simple interlocking device instead of a cementing agent make the free-standing partition in the room above. Blocks are self-supporting and the wood frame is used only to give the partition a neater appearance. Front panels, which are available in clear or translucent glass, are easily removed to permit the use of different decorative effects.

Zippers join together the three sections of the mattress shown above. By simply separating the sections, the housewife is able to turn or to air the bulky mattress with a minimum of effort.

By Kay Sherwood
NEA Staff Writer

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Whether your home is a 20-room mansion, a one-room apartment or a castle in the sky, housing innovations introduced at the recent National Housing Show are designed to make it more functional and attractive.

Visitors flocking to the show at the Grand Central Palace applauded exhibits that ranged from come-apart mattresses to new building materials which include build-them-yourself glass walls.

Structural glass blocks, 20 inches square and about four inches deep, offered spectacular proof, for example, of what a set-up partition can do to make one room look like two. The blocks are joined vertically and horizontally by a simple interlocking device which eliminates the need for a cementing agent or permanent installation. Inserted in each block are two panes of tempered glass, which support more weight and is much harder to break than ordinary glass. One panel is permanently sealed in place. The other is removable, making it possible to achieve imaginative decorative effects by interchanging clear and tronslucent panels.

No less eye-opening was an exhibit of a come-apart mattress. The three sections of this inner-spring mattress are joined together by zippers. By unzipping the three-part mattress a section can be turned without back-breaking effort. As easily, sections can be shifted around to even up wear. This arrangement also permits space-saving storage.

More space-savers include chromium finished bridge chairs which may be stored by stacking one on top of the other like a nest of tables.

A streamlined wood cabinet for staple groceries with covered glass drawers for see-through visibility was a feature representing Sweden's contribution to the exhibit.

Claiming the attention of home builders were modular building slabs which promise cheaper and faster construction. The slabs are made from chemically treated wood chips mixed with Portland cement and shaped under pressure into standard sizes. The material can be used for interior or exterior walls. It withstands fire and moisture and has good insulation and sound absorption properties.

A new type of aluminum window forecasts better ventilated rooms. The top sash of the window is lowered automatically as the bottom sash is raised which steps up the circulation of air. Scheen mesh inserts are placed at the top and bottom of the windows.

Thirty-nine per cent of the nation's farms are operated by tenants today compared with less than 30 per cent 50 years ago.

Homes in Calhoun Damaged by Storm

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Alexander and daughter, Miss Mary Alexander, 203 East Sixth street, who have been residing in Sedalia the past few months but who still have their home in Calhoun, were victims of the storm that raged through that section of the country this past weekend.

Twenty-two window panes were blown fro mtheir home and practicoll o mwmwm.mw m w tically all their winter clothes were ruined by water that poured in. Except for a radio and a chair, the furniture received little damage.

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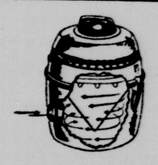

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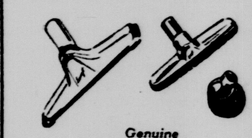

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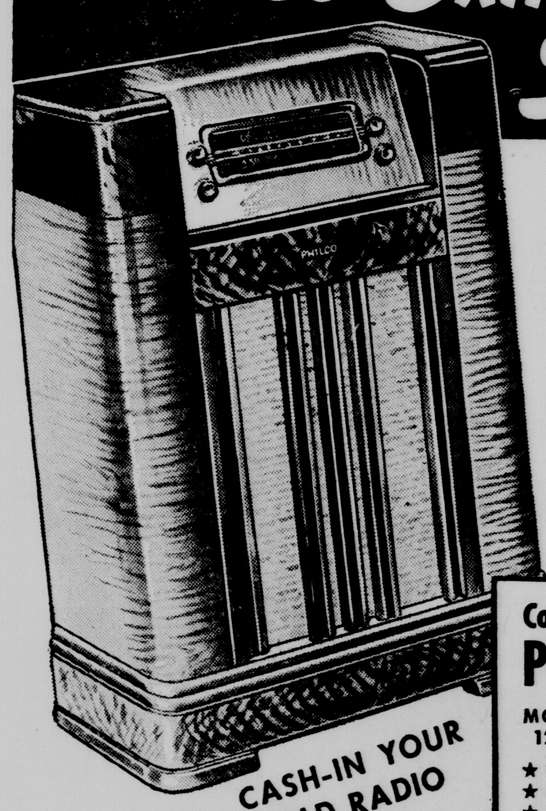

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Lamine School PTA To Meet This Summer

Lamine Parent Teacher Association met at the school house April 21. The meeting was opened by singing "The More We Get Together" and "The Old Folks at Home." A scripture from the Bible was ready by Mrs. George Shaw.

A business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. H. J. Johnston. A motion was made and carried to have the P.T.A. all summer. A report was given by the treasurer, Mr. Harold Rungen.

The meeting was turned over to the program chairman, Avery Streater. A picture show was given by Mr. Charles Streater.

Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee was served. The next meeting will be May 12.

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Although the tours are labeled "competitive," the competition involved is actually against a set standard rather than against other officers taking tours at the same time.

Tours For One Year

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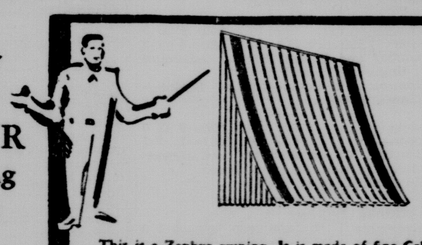

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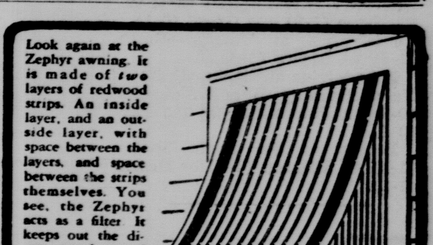

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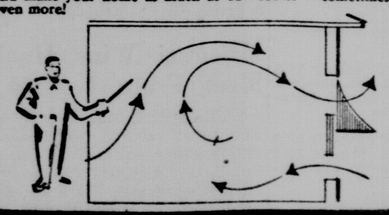

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Brecheen Blanks Phils On One Hit

3rd Shutout in As Many Starts For "The Cat"

ST. LOUIS, May 8—(AP)—Harry (The Cat) Brecheen stopped the Philadelphia Phillies with one scratch hit tonight and the St. Louis Cardinals swept their two-game series with the Phils, 5 to 0. Nippy Jones batted in four Card runs with a single and a home run.

An infield roller by Rookie John Blatnik down the third base line with two out in the seventh inning was all that kept the brilliant Oklahoma souhpaw from pitching a perfect game. Blatnik beat Whitey Kurowski's throw to first by an eyelash. Blatnik was subbing for Harry Walker, last year's National league batting champ, who was benched for weak hitting.

Brecheen did not walk a batter and struck out eight. The Cards gave him perfect support in the field. It was his third shutout in three starts this season. He has blanked the Chicago Cubs twice.

Blix Donnelly hurled creditably for the Phils, but was a victim of bunched hits. Kurowski doubled home the Cards' first run in the fourth and Jones took care of the rest.

Bert Haas, Phils' third baseman, was hit on the head by a ball in batting practice and was removed to a hospital where he was found to have suffered a serious concussion. He remained in the hospital when the team left tonight for Cincinnati. Ralph Caballero replaced him in the lineup.

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	O	A
Caballero, 3b	4	0	0	0	1
Ashburn, cf	3	0	0	3	0
Blatnik, lf	3	0	1	3	0
Sisler, 1b	3	0	0	7	1
Ennis, rf	3	0	0	3	0
Miller, ss	3	0	0	2	1
Lakeman, c	3	0	0	5	0
Verban, 2b	3	0	0	1	3
Donnelly, p	2	0	0	0	1
A—Schultz	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	1	24	7

A—Flied out for Donnelly in 9th.

St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A
Schoendienst, 2b	4	0	0	2	2
Moore, cf	4	1	1	3	0
Musial, lf	3	1	1	4	0
Slaughter, rf	3	2	2	0	0
Kurowski, 3b	4	0	1	1	1
Jones, 1b	3	1	2	7	0
Marion, ss	4	0	0	2	2
Rice, c	2	0	0	8	0
Brecheen, p	2	0	0	0	2
Totals	29	5	7	27	7

Philadelphia	000	000	000—0
St. Louis	000	102	02x—5

Errors—None. Runs batted in—Kurowski, Jones 4. Two base hits—Kurowski, Moore. Three base hit—Musial. Home run—Jones. Left on bases—Philadelphia 1, St. Louis 5. Bases on balls—Donnelly 5. Strike outs—Donnelly 4; Brecheen 8.

Herman Barron Leads Goodall Golf Tourney

By Gayle Talbot

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., May 8—(AP)— Herman Barron, 39-year-old professional of White Plains, N. Y., ran off and hid from 15 of his fellow money players today in the Goodall round robin golf tournament.

With only one round remaining to be played, the chunky veteran was 17 points ahead of his closest rival, Bob Hamilton, tonight, and it was conceded that he could not be stopped by anything short of a deer rifle.

In four rounds of match play, Barron had shot 70-69-71-71 in dazzling succession over the par 72 Wykagyl Country Club course. He had built up a "plus" total of of 39 points—meaning he had won that many more holes than he had lost in man-to-man competition against the world's finest golfers.

Barron's wrenched ankle miraculously healed overnight.

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK, May 8—(AP)—Probable pitchers for tomorrow's major league games (won and lost records in parentheses):

American League

Chicago at New York—Shea (1-1) vs. Haynes (1-2).

Cleveland at Boston (2)—Feller (2-2) and Muncrief (1-0) vs. Dobson (1-2) and Kinder (1-0).

Detroit at Philadelphia (2) — Houtteman (0-3) and Trout (1-2) vs. Brizzie (2-2) and Coleman (1-1).

St. Louis at Washington—Stephens (0-0) vs. Masterson (1-1).

National League

Brooklyn at Pittsburgh (2)—Branca (1-3) and Barney (2-1) vs. Singleton (1-9) and Gregg (0-1).

New York at Chicago—Koslo (2-0) vs. Meyer (1-1).

Philadelphia at Cincinnati (2)—Heintzelman (1-9) and Simmons (0-3) vs. Peterson (1-0) and Fox (0-1).

Boston at St. Louis—Spahn (1-1) vs. Dickson (1-1) or Hearn (1-1).

The STANDINGS

NEW YORK, May 8—(AP)—Major league standing including tonight's games:

National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct	GB
New York	11	6	.647	
St. Louis	9	5	.643	½
Pittsburgh	9	6	.615	1
Brooklyn	8	8	.500	2½
Boston	8	9	.471	3
Philadelphia	7	10	.412	4
Cincinnati	7	11	.389	4½
Chicago	6	10	.375	4½

American League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	10	5	.667	
Cleveland	8	4	.667	½
New York	9	6	.600	1
[illegible] Louis	6	6	.500	2½
[illegible]on	7	8	.467	3
[illegible]oit	8	10	.444	3½
[illegible]ington	7	9	.438	3½
[illegible]go	3	10	.231	6

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT AND CAPITAL

Babe Ruth Consultant In Jr. Legion Baseball

DETROIT, May 8— (AP) —Babe Ruth has been re-engaged as consultant in the American Legion Junior baseball tournament, the Ford Motor Co., tourney sponsor, announced today.

Ford did not disclose contract terms, but J. R. Davis, a vice president, said the Babe would be "high on the list of baseball's top money earners."

Blues Drop 5 to 0 Game To Red Birds

Bisges Pitches A 4-Hitter for Jefferson City

The Jefferson City Red Birds, behind the four-hit pitching of Hugh Bisges, shut out the Sedalia Blue 5 to 0 Friday night. The game was the first night game of the season under the new lights at the Jefferson City ball park.

Joe Imhauser, pitching for the Blues, worked a fine game with the exception of the fourth inning when the Red Birds pushed across four runs on five hits and two errors. That inning provided the winning margin for the Capital City boys, altho they put across another run in the seventh.

Imhauser fanned 10 men while limiting the Red Birds to 10 hits, but that just wasn't good enough. Bisges, who can be remembered from his action in the semi-pro tournament here last summer, was in complete control of the game. He sent 13 Blues down via the strike-out route.

The line-ups:

Jefferson City—S. Adair, 2b; E. Mueller, lf; A. Mueller, 1b; C. Maxey, cf; Prenger, 3b; Kramer, rf; Sweeney, c; Roberts, ss; and Bisges, p.

Sedalia—Richardson, ss; Slocum, 3b; Barnes, c; Carver, cf; C. Poynter, 1b; Hunter and Coffelt, rf; Anderson, 2b; Ditton, lf; and Imhauser. p.

The score by innings:

Blues	000	000	000—0 4 3
Red Birds	000	400	10x—5 10 0

The Blues will go to Boonville this afternoon for a league game with the team there, beginning at 2:45 o'clock.

Last Sunday the Blues dropped a loosely played game to the Smithton Horents, while the Boonville team was beating Jeff City.

The team will leave from Hausel Park at 12 o'clock noon.

Walker Benched For 'Weak Hitting'

ST. LOUIS, May 8.—(AP)—Harry (The Hat) Walker, who led the National League in batting last year, was benched by Manager Ben Chapman of the Philadelphia Phillies tonight because of "weak hitting."

Chapman said he also wants Walker to "do some training to get in better physical shape."

Johnny Blatnik replaced Walker in the Philly outfield in tonight's game with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Walker, who hit lusty .363 last year, has a current average of only .232.

BOWLING

Monday—7 p.m.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Stewart Avenue Market	47	34	.580
Sedalia Typewriter Co.	43	38	.531
Cummins Bros. Market	43	38	.531
J. C. Penney	41	40	.506
McLaughlin's	39	42	.481
Safeway	30	51	.370

High Ind. game—H. O'Neil, 192.
High Ind. game—H. O'Neil, 509.
High team single game—Sedalia Typewriter, 1058.
High team series—Sedalia Typewriter, 2982.

Monday—9 p.m.
Optimist League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Team No. 5	56	19	.747
Team No. 1	42	33	.560
Team No. 3	38	37	.507
Team No. 2	38	37	.507
Team No. 4	28	47	.373
Team No. 6	23	52	.307

High Ind. game—H. Bundy, 192.
High Ind. Series—H. Gudmundson, 502.
High team single game—Team No. 3, 1033.
High team series—Team No. 5—2989.

Wednesday

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Sedalia Bowling Lanes	43	32	.573
Sedalia Shrine Club	42	33	.560
Falstaff Dist. Co.	39	36	.520
Finance Outlet	38	37	.507
Stanley Coal Co.	33	42	.440
Burkholders	29	46	.387

High Ind. game—C. McEniry, 205.
High Ind. series—H. O'Neil, 557.
High team single game—Finance Outlet, 1055.
High Team series — Stanley Coal Co., 2873.

Thursday

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Home Lumber Co.	47	28	.627
Smithton	44	31	.587
Typographical Union, 206	39	36	.587
Cole Camp	38	37	.507
Thomasetti Shoe Co.	33	42	.440
S.W. Bell Telephone	24	51	.320

High Ind. game—C. Patterson, 212.
High Ind. series—B. McCurdy, 572.
High team single game—Smithton, 1066.
High team series—Smithton—2998.

Friday—7 p.m.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Midstate Storage	50	34	.595
Sedalia Bank and Trust	45	39	.536
Midwest Auto	43	41	.512
Swift and Co.	41	43	.488
"Cal" Rodgers Pontiac	38	46	.452
Post 2508 V.F.W.	35	49	.417

High Ind. game—J. Eakins, 207.
High Ind. series—H. O'Neil, 517.
High team single game—Sedalia Bank and Trust, 1053.
High team series—Sedalia Bank and Trust, 2915.

Friday—9 p.m.
Automotive League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Thompson Chevrolet	50	31	.617
Don Robinson Nash	43	58	.531
Ralph Hamlin	40	41	.494
Bryant Motors	39	42	.481
Engle Motors	35	46	.432
Engle Tractor and Imp	35	46	.432

High Ind. game—J. Taylor, 217.
High Ind. Series—J. Taylor, 569.
High team single game — Thompson Chevrolet, 1028.
High team series—Thompson Chevrolet, 2947.

Ladies' Ten Pin League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Sedalia Supply	46	23	.667
Acme Cleaners	36	33	.522
Norman Stevens Co.	30	39	.435
Hugies Tavern	26	43	.377

High team single game, Acme Cleaners, 904.
High team series, Acme Cleaners, 2613.
High Ind. single game—Helen Emo, 215.
High Ind. series—Helen Emo, 526.

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Chiefs Play At Jeff City Prison Today

First Appearance For Sedalia's New Ban Johnson Ball Club

The Sedalia Chiefs, Ban Johnson baseball club sponsored by Cal Rodgers Pontiac Co., will make an endeavor to open their season this morning. The team is scheduled against the Missouri State Prison Eagles, in a game to be played on the prison grounds, starting at 10 o'clock.

Local players are anxious to get this, the first game, under their belts and be prepared to get into the whirl of the season schedule. Another pre-scheduled game will be played Tuesday night under the lights at Boonville, then Sunday, may 6, the regular Ban Johnson season will open with the local nine playing at Mexico.

Strong Backing For Team

Although several years ago Sedalia endeavored to enter the Ban Johnson ranks, and a fairly successful season was experienced, it is the first time such a team has had strong backing. Those who are interested in the team are anticipating a State Championship aggregation, from the work they have been doing in getting the team together.

Two contracts have been signed by players who were called upon by Cal Rodgers last week. The contracts are those of two University of Missouri players, Don McMillen of Windsor, and Jim Egbert of Sedalia. Local fans need no introduction to these lads, as McMillen is the boy who pitched for the Windsor club last year, and Egbert hurled for the Ban Johnson club in Slater, in 1947, and the Jr. Legion in 1946.

University Players With Chiefs

McMillen is playing with the Varsity ball club at the University and has defeated Kansas twice, once with a one-hit game and the other in a four-hit contest. He is considered the outstanding college ball player in the pitching department in Missouri. He does a great job on the mound and is considered a power in the hitting department. McMillen will see some duty in the outfield when he isn't doing mound duty.

Egbert likewise is playing at the University with the Freshman team this season. He also is getting a nice job done and his training at school will be a big benefit to him when he gets suited up with the Chiefs.

McMillen and Egbert must wait until school is out before they can join the Sedalia club, and that will be June 1. Both were eligible to play at Columbia, but both decided on Sedalia because of their friends here. McMillen because three former team mates from Windsor are with the Chiefs, in Robinson, Means and Schweitzer.

It was announced by Manager Walter Jesse, no position is a cinch as yet, but the present players have the inside track. However, any boy interested and can qualify under the rules of Ban Johnson is invited out for a tryout. If an outsider is better than a boy now suited up, he will be given the position on the squad. It is a fight from now until the season ends for the boys to hold their position on the squad.

Egbert May Practice

Jesse also announced Egbert may practice with the Sedalians at Jefferson City today, inasmuch as it is not an official league game. "Duck" Eschbacher, is scheduled to pitch the game today, however. Carl Barbour, catcher has been named captain of the team and will be behind the plate for the Chiefs.

Players making the trip are to meet at the Cal Rodgers Pontiac Co., Fifth street and Osage avenue at 7:30 o'clock from which place they will depart for Jefferson City. They are: Infielders, Robinson, first base; R. Waters, second base; Schweitzer, or Dillard, shortstop; Hawley, third base Outfielders: Joe Waters, centerfield; Means right field; Walz or Echert, left field. White, utility catcher; Rapp, pitch. Coaches Bus and Nichols and Manager Jesse.

Thursday night, May 20, the Chiefs open their home stand in a night game with Moberly.

Clyde Scott Equals 100-Yard Record

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Bay 8—(AP)—Clyde Scott of the University of Arkansas, a hurdler by trade, equalled the world record in the 100-yard dash here today but his team lost a dual track and field meet to Oklahoma A. and M.

The Aggies piled up 84 points to Arkansas 47.

Scott, who also won the high and low hurdles and placed second in the javelin throw, sprinted the century in 9:4 seconds. Because of a wind to his back, however, the time probably will not be recognized as anything except a school record.

Scott's time in the 220-yard low hurdles was 22.6, only a tenth of a second off the world record. This race also was run with the wind. It was 4-tenths of a second better than the old U. of A. record, set by Scott only last week.

A and M. won first place in nine of the 15 events.

Kansas U. Defeats Missouri U. 4 to 2

LAWRENCE, Kas., May 8—(AP)—The Kansas Jayhawkers evened their baseball series with Missouri by defeating the Tigers today, 4-2.

Each team got six hits in the game, which was tight and well-played except in the seventh inning when Bud French of Kansas ran wild. French walked, stole second, stole third, and stole home for the final tally.

Missouri	000	000	110—2 6 3
Kansas	100	020	10x—4 5 3

Englert (lost), Smith (8), Crenshaw (9) and Entsminger; Gilman and Fencyk, Fink.

Sport Scraps

By D. KELLY SCRUTON

APPARENTLY I was olny partially informed regarding the "exchange" of players admissions to the baseball games of the various baseball teams for the players. I made a half-hearted attack on a team because they refused to go along. I was "straightened out" the past week.

It seems the teams had up for discussion the "exchange-priviledge" and one team voted definitely "NO". I was informed prior to the past week that it was only for players, while last week the team in question informed me that they had voted "No" because they were under the impression, it was for players girl friends and guests.—At least that was what I was told.

To get the record straight—I still think that each team should permit the player or players on a team not playing the right to attend a game being played. As I said before the youngsters of the Junior Legion, and the boys of the Chiefs in the Ban Johnson League, can get a lot out of watching the older teams play. The older boys can get a lot of enjoyment out of watching the other teams.

But I agree, that dragging in girl friends, possibly a companion or two for any game would be asking too much. If the player on the older team goes he should pay the "freight" for his wife or girl friend, and the boys in the younger group should concur with this.

Let's not get the season off on a bad start of fighting over whose going to see who's game and so on. Sedalia has a great opportunity to see four excellent teams in action this season, and squabbling over practically nothing should be stopped immediately.

MAYBE it's a deep dark secret. Maybe Missouri State Commissioner Claude C. Rowe of the National Baseball Congress, who conducts the state semi-pro tournament, wants to surprise Sedalia, and hold the tournament here this year—then maybe he might have some other idea. What we would like to know is he or isn't he going to have it here.

The only indication I have received Sedalia will have it is a large trophy received in the Democrat office recently, which wasn't supposed to come here but should have gone to the Coca-Cola Bottling Co., who will present it to the Champions. If it is going to be conducted in Sedalia, I think arrangements should get underway now—not a week before the tournament dates.

May I suggest to "Hank" Williams, who was the assistant Commissioner last year, to drop him a line and find out. Sometime ago "Hank" didn't know, and as yet he hasn't received any official word.

SEDALIA has finally secured Don McMillen, Windsor, to pitch for a local team. He has signed with the Chiefs of the Ban Johnson team, and gave as his reason, three former Windsor teammates are playing here—then too his parents kinda liked the idea, as they could come here more often to see him work than driving to Columbia.

Columbia had made a bid for his services as he is eligible under the Ban Johnson rules, and the Columbia loss certainly is a Sedalia gain. The young man has been one of the "wheels" with the University of Missouri Varsity team this season.

"Big Jim" Egbert, Sedalia, also signed with the hometown team. Egbert is pitching for the University Freshman team. He played Jr. Legion ball here and B. J. ball at Slater last season.

A's Journey To Lawson For Today

Night Season Opens May 18th Against Lanier's All-Stars

The Sedalia Athletics will be trying for their second straight victory this afternoon in the young baseball season when they travel to Lawson for a game with the Lawson Hybrids. Game time will be 2:30. It is expected that a large crowd of Sedalia fans will be following the A's today to give them plenty of hearty support, especially after the impressive 8-0 three hit shutout game in the opener here last week against the Police.

While the club and it's plan for the baseball year were being materialized, club officials announced to local fans that they would try the impossible in bringing to the city the best in baseball entertainment that could be found in the signing of ball players and the booking in of the best of teams. As for the signing of players that know how to play real baseball, the game last Sunday can be recalled. And now it seems as though the impossible has already happened insofar as bring to Sedalia good ball clubs.

Athletic officials made it known late last week they will officially open the 1948 nite baseball season in Sedalia May 18th against none other than the highly regarded and popular Max Lanier's traveling All-Stars. Here truthfully is a ball club that bills itself as having the finest bunch of ball talent that ever assembled on any one diamond. This is the group that startled the baseball world not long ago when they jumped over to the Mexican league one by one from their respective major league ball clubs. The result was, ineligible for major league play for a period of five years. Now assembled into one team of players known as Max Lanier's All-Stars they'll be here May 18, for a try at Duke Sullivan's Athletics.

The Athletics will assemble in front of the Pacific cafe by 9:30 o'clock to leave in a group for Lawson.

It is not certain on what the starting battery or lineups will be due to Manager Duke Sullivan being out of town last week on business. Dick Martin guided the Athletics in practice sessions while Duke was away.

May 16, will find the Athletics starting their second home game of the year against a good TWA club from Kansas City. After this one the players will hope to be well warmed up for their night title against Lanier's All-Stars.

Baseball Results

American League

Chicago	000	001	000—	1 10 2
Philadelphia	500	040	07x—16	15 0

Grove, Moulder (2), Papish (4), Goodwin (5), Gillespie (6), Caldwell (8) and Robinson; Scheib and Guerra.
Homer: Philadelphia—Scheib.

First game:

Detroit	001	010	001—3	6 0
New York	000	000	002—2	6 0

Hutchinson and Swift; Lopat, Drews (9) and Berra.
Homers: Detroit—Mullin; New York—Berra.
Second game:

Detroit	000	000	010—1	4 1
New York	000	002	70x—9	11 1

Newhouser, Overmire (7) and Wagner; Raschi, Page (8) and Niarhos.
Homer: Detroit—Mullin.

St. Louis	132	010	200—9	16 0
Boston	110	000	020—4	7 3

Sanford and Partee; Harris, Galehouse (3), Hughson (8) and Tebbets.
Homers: St. Louis—Zarilla; Boston—Williams, Spence.

Cleveland	100	000	050—6	12 0
Washington	000	000	001—1	3 1

Bearden, Christopher (9) and Hegan; Hudson, Ferrick (9) and Evans.
Homers: Cleveland—Doby.

National League

Philadelphia	000	000	000—0	1 0
St. Louis	000	102	02x—5	7 0

Donnelly and Lakeman; Brecheen and Rice.
Home runs: Jones.

Boston	000	000	030—3	7 0
Cincinnati	100	010	000—2	8 1

Barrett, Prendergast (8) and Masi; Vandermeer and Lamanno.

New York	530	000	400—12	15 1
Pittsburgh	000	113	000— 5	12 5

Jansen, Trinkle (6) and Livingston; Lombardi, Higbe (1), Ostermueller (7), Main (7), Strincevich (9) and Fitzgerald.
Homers: New York—Rigney, Thomson; Pittsburgh: Westlake, West.

Brooklyn	000	000	0000	5 1
Chicago	200	021	10x—6	8 0

Sloat, Hall (5), Vancuyk (7) and Edwards; Schmitz and Scheffing.

American Association

Columbus at Milwaukee, postponed—rain.

Indianapolis	100	010	001—	3 10 3
Minneapolis	023	051	20x—13	15 1

McLish, Ferek (5) and Turner; Fischer, Strunk (4) and Wheeler.

Louisville	020	000	010—	3 10 2
Kansas City	200	062	01x—11	15 1

Bailey, Shea (5), Zuber (8) and Pruett; Marshall and Houk.

Toledo at St. Paul—postponed, rain.

Browns Win With Help of Errors

BOSTON, May 8—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns, consigned by nearly everyone but themselves to the American league cellar, up and socked Boston's highly regarded Red Sox 9-4 today before 11,662 windswept customers.

Errors by the Sox didn't help Sox starter lefthander Mickey Harris who needed all the assistance he could get.

In the opening inning Sam Mele booted Bob Dillinger's drive and the Brownie third sacker went to third whence he scored on Chuck Stevens' ground out.

Ken Wood went all the way to second in the next inning when Vern Stephens threw his grounder into the Boston dugout. Before the inning ended the Browns had scored three times.

They added a couple in the third, one in the fifth and two in the seventh. One of the latter was Al Zarilla's homer.

The Sox scored single runs in the first and second and Ted Williams and Stan Spence homered on successive pitches in the eighth for the two final Boston runs.

St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A
Dillinger, 3b	5	1	2	2	2
Stevens, 1b	5	0	0	6	0
Priddy, 2b	5	1	2	4	3
Platt, lf	4	2	2	3	0
Wood, rf	4	2	2	5	0
Zarilla, cf	4	2	4	1	0
Pellagrini, ss	4	1	1	1	0
Partee, c	4	0	3	5	0
Sanford, p	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	9	16	27	5

Boston	AB	R	H	O	A
DiMaggio, cf	4	1	0	2	0
Pesky, 3b	4	0	0	2	3
Williams, lf	3	1	2	2	1
Spence, 1b	4	1	3	8	1
Stephens, ss	4	0	0	4	4
Doerr, 2b	3	0	0	3	4
Mele, rf	4	1	1	3	1
Tebbetts, c	3	0	0	3	2
Harris, p	1	0	0	0	1
Galehouse, p	1	0	0	0	1
A—Goodman	1	0	1	0	0
Hughson, p	0	0	0	0	0
B—Moses	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	7	27	18

A—Singled for Galehouse in 7th.
B—Lined out for Hughson in 9th.

St. Louis	132	010	200—	9
Boston	110	000	020—	4

Errors—Stephens, 2, Mele. Runs batted in—Stevens, Zarilla 3, Partee 2, Wood 2, Pellagrini, Spence 2, Harris, Williams. Two base hits—Partee, Mele. Three base hits—Wood, Platt. Home runs—Zarilla, Williams, Spence. Sacrifice—Wood. Left on bases—St. Louis 6, Boston 6. Bases on balls—off Sanford 4, Galehouse 2. Strikes outs—by Sanford 3, Galehouse, 2. Hits—off Harris 8 in 2 1-3 innings; off Galehouse 6 in 4 2-3; off Hughson 2 in 2. Losing pitcher—Harris.

Missouri Wins Dual Meet From K-State

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 8—(AP)—Ten meet records were smashed and another equaled as the University of Missouri Tigers defeated Kansas State's Wildcats, 88 1-3 to 42 2-3, in a Bib Seven Conference track and field dual here today.

Missouri set eight of the meet records, while Kansas State bettered two previous marks on Rollin Prather's 53-feet 3¾ inches shot put mark and 154-feet 8½ inches in the discus.

Prather shared individual scoring honors with Missouri's Madill (Bud) Gartiser, who won both the 120-yard high and 220-yard low hurdles in record breaking times—15.6 seconds for the highs and 23 seconds in the lows.

Heavy Hitting Keeps Dark Horses on Top

Giants and A's Unleash 15-Hit Attacks Saturday

By Joe Reichler

NEW YORK, May 8— (AP) — Thanks to their booming bats, the New York Giants and Philadelphia Athletics, a pair of dark horses in the pennant races, were leading their respective leagues today.

Each club unleashed a 15-hit attack, the Giants walloping the Pittsburgh Pirates 12-5 and the Athletics overwhelming the Chicago White Sox, 16-1.

Billy Rigney and Bobby Thomson led the Giants' attack which enabled the New Yorkers to push past the Pirates into first place in the National League. Rigney collected four hits in five times at bat, including a home run, and drove in two runs. Thomson also smashed a home run and drove in three runs with two hits.

A's Streak To Six

Young Carl Scheib extended the Athletics' winning streak to six games by spacing 10 hits for his third straight win and driving in five mates with a home run, double and single in five times at bat. His homer came in the eighth inning with the bases loaded. The victory enabled the A's to retain their half game lead over the Cleveland Indians. On the percentage side, both teams are tied for first with .667, but the A's have won two of their three extra games.

In addition to their hitting spree against six Chicago hurlers, the A's pulled the first triple play of the season. Second Baseman Pete Suder snared Taft Wright's liner in the seventh, and flipped to Shortstop Eddie Joost at second to catch Luke Appling. Joost relayed to Ferris at first to nab Tony Lupine.

Doby Hits Homer

Larry Doby smacked a 450-foot homer with two mates aboard and Rookie lefthander Gene Bearden pitched a three-hitter until he tired in the ninth to lead the Indians to a 6-1 victory over the Senators in Washington. The home run climaxed a five-run eight inning off losing pitcher Sid Hudson.

The third place New York Yankee split a double header with the Detroit Tigers, winning the second game 9-1 after bowing in the opener 3-2.

Fred Hutchinson, who stopped the Yankees' 19-game winning streak last year, held them to six hits in the opener. In addition, the stylish righthander drove in Detroit's first two runs with a single and long fly. Pat Mullin's ninth inning home run offset a two-run circuit smash by Yogi Berra in the bottom half of the inning.

Newhouser Beaten

The Yankees drove Hal Newhouser, ace lefthander, to cover in the second game with a seven-run seventh inning. It was Newhouser's fourht straight defeat after his opening day victory. Vic Raschi was the winner while Ed Lopat dropped his third game in the opener.

The surprising St. Louis Browns socked the Boston Red Sox 9-4 to climb into the first division with a .500 percentage. Al Zarilla helped Fred Sanford gain his third victory by cracking four hits in four times at bat including his first home run.

Schmitz Shuts Out Dodgers

Johnny Schmitz, after dropping his first three starts, pitched the Chicago Cubs to a 6-0 victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers for his first win of the season. Ed Waitkus, with a triple and single, led the Cubs' eight-hit attack.

Boston came up with three runs in the eighth to overcome a 2-0 deficit and went on to nip the Cincinnati Reds 3-2. The victory shoved the Braves into fifth place while the Reds skidded to within 14 points of the cellar.

Dixie Handicap Won by Fervent

BALTIMORE, May 8—(AP)—Mrs. E. Ed. Jacobs' Stymie again found Calumet Farm blocking his path to a major victory when Fervent copped the Dixie Handicap today.

Fervent, running as an entry with Faultless beat the world's biggest money winner by one and a half lengths. Joseph Tucci's Incline took third, three lengths behind Stymie, in a photo finish with King Ranch's Contest.

A crowd of 24,021 saw the race.

Fervent supplied Calumet with its fourth victory in the 44-year-old stake. The Warren Wright colors were carried home first in previous Dixies by Whirlaway, Sun Again and Armed.

While Fervent's triumph dumped another $21,950 into the Calumet coffers, Stymie had to be content with $5,000. This gave him a total of $823,560 while Fervent's bankroll now reads $245,685.

Fervent, winner of last year's Pimlico special, again found a track to his liking—slow and rather heavy. He went the mile and three-sixteenths in 2:01 3-5, the slowest winning time since 1935.

The Calumet entry went off as the 9-5 favorite, good for a $5.60 return on a win ticket. The bettors installed Stymie as their second choice at 3 to 1.

The rest of the field finished in this order: Faultless, Elpis, Double Jay, Tide Rips and Butler.

Hornets to Play Eldon at Smithton

The Smithton Hornets will play the Eldon Merchants this afternoon on the Smithton diamond.

This game will be the official opener of the baseball season in the Smithton park and will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hornets, although charged with eight errors were able to nose out the Sedalia Blues by a 10 to 6 score, last Sunday while Eldon was losing 10 to 7 at California.

Manager George Edman was very disappointed at the defensive play of his club last week and may shift his line-up to bolster the defense.

Jr. Legion To Play Marshall Here Today

Manager Thomas Has Announced Players For The '48 Squad

The Pettis County Post No. 16, American Legion baseball team, sponsored by the Engle Motor Co., will open the 1948 season this afternoon on the Liberty Park ball diamond. The game will get under way at 2:30 o'clock with the Junior Legion team from Marshall.

Sedalia is a member of the Seventh District and will, according to a new arrangement of the Legion, play in this district. Eight teams comprise the district and are divided into two divisions. The winner of each division will playoff to ascertain who goes to the Zone tournament. Winner of the Zone tournament will go to the State tournament at St. Louis the early part of August.

Teams in the Seventh District and their division: Warsaw, Marshall, Slater, and Sedalia, and the second division is Fayette, Higginsville, Blackburn and Waverly. The season playoffs of the two divisions start on May 30.

Athletic Officer for the Seventh District is Robert L. Chamblin.

Players Are Named.

Manager Johnny Thomas has announced the players for the 1948 squad: Pitchers are Ray, Mehl, Riley and Potts; Catchers are Nold and Neidholdt; Infielders, Cooney, Vilmer, Falls, Walker, Presley, and Arnold; Outfielders are Ruffin, Holts, McCrary and Brown.

These boys have been working out the past six weeks and are ready to open the season play and give Sedalia another winning ball club. Manager Thomas stated the team is one of the best balanced squads he has had and is confident this team will be in the State tournament.

The starting lineup for the game today will not be announced until game time.

To Open Softball Season at Otterville

For the first time in nearly a dozen years, a Smithton softball team will perform under the floodlights. The first game will be played at Otterville Thursday night and will be the season's opener there.

No starting lineup has been announced, but the club will be entirely of home talent. Several former Smithton baseball players, who had put their uniforms in mothballs will dig them out to take part in the new venture.

Paul Selken, who was field manager of the Hornets baseball club from 1938 to 1946, will be the playing manager of the team.

The club will have plenty of experience and ability, but will be a little "green" with the rules, type of play, the ball and other differences from baseball will require some time to get adjusted.

Don McIntyre In Return Match Here

In Main Event With Lord Albert Mills; Girls Also Coming

Wrestling Matches

Main Event

Don McIntyre vs. Lord Albert Mills
Otterville, Mo. London, England
2 falls out of 3—90 minute limit.

Semi-Windup

Dot Dotson vs. Theresa Theis
Houston, Texas Twin Falls, Minn
2 falls out of 3—to a finish.

Opening Event

Ray Vilmer vs. Sonny Myers
St. Louis, Mo. St. Joseph, Mo.
1 fall with a 30-minute limit.

Time: 8:30 p.m., Wednesday.
Place: National Guard Armory.
Referee: Sammy Feeback.

After nearly two years a return match has been arranged between Don McIntyre, Otterville, Mo., and Lord Albert Mills, London, England, for the Pettis County Post No. 16, American Legion wrestling card, this week. They wrestled and battled to a draw in their last meeting in the Sedalia ring nearly two years ago.

The match at that time ended with the time ran out, but McIntyre suffered lacerations over his eye, and when he went to the dressing room, he appeared as if he had been painted red by painters. Mills had resorted to rough tactics and rammed McIntyre into a ring post lacerating the left eye.

McIntyre, since that time has been in Florida, New York, and Canada, and is returning to Missouri this week to look after his farm lands near Otterville. He will wrestle in the Midwest during the summer months.

Dot Dotson, Houston, Texas, who last week was disqualified by Referee Sammy Feeback when he was the victim of a vicious attack by the young woman, is being given another chance at Theresa Theis, Twin Falls, Minn., in the semi-windup this week. Dotson challenged the young Minnesota wrestler to a match and she "gladly" accepted.

It will for the best two falls out of three with no time limit. Miss Dotson was enraged when she was disqualified, and spoke harsh words to her opponent in the showers last week. This led to a challenge and the match was made by Promoter Gust Karras.

Opening the evening of wrestling-battling will be a match between Ray Vilmer of St. Lou

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Berry Jackson Menteer, appeared before Magistrate W. M. Ilgenfritz, Friday, and pleaded guilty to a charge of careless driving, and was fined $5 and costs.

He was arrested by the state highway patrol when driving a 1941 Ford automobile, and passing a car on a hill when the vision ahead was obscured.

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DR. H. O. WILBUR

He will be back in his office on Friday, May 14th.

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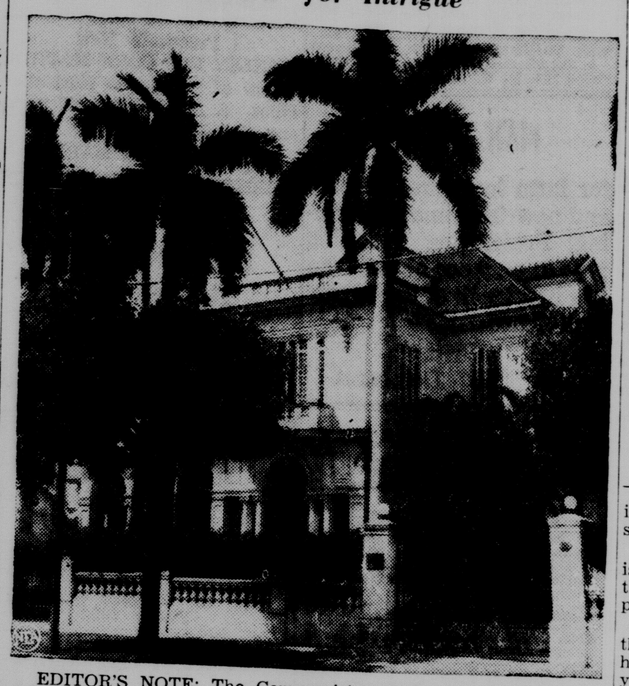
Soviet Legation in Havana is the New 'Switchboard' for Intrigue



EDITOR'S NOTE: The Communists are being blamed for the intrigue that simmers in Latin America, and now and then boils over as it did in Colombia during the Pan-American Conference. Where is the Red nerve center for all this intrigue? S. Burton Heath, NEA's reporter-at-large, finds all the evidence points to the elegant building at left, in one of Havana's richest residential sections. Its occupants: the Soviet legation to anti-Red Cuba. Heath unfolds the evidence—and tells how a free election may paralyze the nerve center—in two dispatches. This is the first.

By S. BURTON HEATH
NEA Staff Correspondent

HAVANA, Cuba—(NEA)—The Soviet legation in Cuba has become the nerve center for Communist intrigue throughout Latin America.

It has taken over the role of "switchboard" for all Red operations in the Caribbean, Central and South America since Constantin Oumansky, Russian ambassador to Mexico who created the Soviet spy ring for Latin America, was killed in a plane crash in 1945.

That is the considered opinion of Dr. Carlos Prio Socarras, "government" candidate for president in the June election. Dr. Prio is a long-time associate of President Ramon Grau San Martin; he has served as Minister for Foreign Affairs, as Minister of Labor and as Minister without portfolio. He is the man who, last summer, took the Cuban Confederation of Labor away from the Reds and turned it over to non-Communist leaders.

Relaxing on his bed, in pajamas, after a hard day's campaigning, Dr. Prio received me at 1:30 in the morning and devoted almost an hour to the international activities of Communists in Havana. What he said fitted in with what I had learned from trustworthy informants elsewhere, though it did not go as far as the rumors and gossip that are common in this city.

Havana is not so important to Moscow as Mexico City was during Oumansky's activity there. Oumansky then was building up a close-knit network of Red agents everywhere south of the Rio Grande, using both Russian facilities and those of satellite nations. His work was nearly completed when he died.

From all I can learn, Havana does not provide the brains for Soviet intrigue. It is merely a sort of switchboard, conveniently located, through which information and instructions are routed back and forth.

Instructions come from Moscow by way of New York, Dr. Prio says. He did not comment on the fact that Andrei Gromyko, minister to Cuba, lives and works in New York, where he is ambassador to the United Nations.

The Soviet legation's resident head is Nicolai Andreev. Only four persons are credited to it in the Cuban diplomatic directory, aside from the absent Gromyko. Close observers say it would be hard to prove that more than a dozen are on the legation's payroll.

But Dr. Prio says that until recently from 80 to 100 persons actually worked under its direction, and that at present the number appears to be between 35 and 40. It is impossible to be exact, he says, because most of the workers did not come from Russia on diplomatic credentials, and many are not Russian at all. They are Czechs, Yugoslavs, Poles, even Cuban Communists.

There was much furore recently when Fabio Grobart, organization secretary of the Communist party, was seen entering the Soviet legation early one morning. Unusually well informed observers believe that Grobart hid there while Cuban police tried to arrest him in connection with an abortive general strike plan.

"Until recently," Dr. Prio told me, "some of the highest Cuban Communist leaders made regular lecture trips to Chile, Bolivia, Colombia, Venezuela, Puerto Rico and other Latin American countries. There is reason to believe that they carried instructions to the Reds in those countries."

Those named by Dr. Prio were Senate Vice-President Juan Marinello, who is nominal head of the party here and its candidate for president; "Blas Rocas," born Francisco Caldero, actual Red boss and Marinello's running mate; Representative Lazaro Pena, who ran the Cuban Confederation of Labor until he was ousted; and the late Jesus Menendez, sugar workers' leader.

Pena, I was told by another trustworthy source, had a diplomatic passport as a member of Congress, and traveled both to Europe and to Latin American countries with diplomatic privileges as a vice-president of the World Federation of Trades Unions.

Earlier this year Cuba was used as a base by a delegation on its way to the World Federation of Democratic Youth's session that opened April 26 in Mexico City. The group was publicized extensively by Hoy, Cuban Communist daily paper, and spent most of its time with known or suspected Communists. Hoy quoted Miss Frances Damon, U. S. member of the party, as saying that the United States is trying to lead the world's youth into another imperialist war.

From here the Federation delegates visited a number of Latin American countries. A Czech named Bouczek failed to return from the trip to Venezuela. Other members included Eugene Kerbaul of France; Vasily Bogatyrev and Ivan Michine of the U.S.S.R.; Milorad Peschi of Yugoslavia, and Luis Fernandez, general in the Republican army in Spain's civil war.

The Communists have a long wave radio station here, and also the best of the short wave channels.

Hoy, Communist daily, serves as a clearing house for party news for the Latin American Red press. Communist papers in other countries send Hoy their general "news," which then is edited, condensed, mimeographed, and distributed all over Latin America. Until recently, at least, it has been identified by the credit line "Prensa Continentale."

The size of the legation here is argued by observers as proof that it has undercover duties to perform.

With a total of 131 employes, the U. S. Embassy and consulate handle more than $1,000,000,000 a year in trade, plus a horde of American visitors here and Cubans running back and forth to the States.

With a dozen employes, the British legation handles $200,000,000 a year in trade between Cuba and most of the British Empire, plus thousands of travelers.

Last year Russia bought only $5,752 worth of goods from Cuba and sold only $900 worth—a few barrels of caviar and a few bottles of vodka. There is almost no personal travel between the two countries. This, it is argued, could not possibly justify even the dozen employes who are quite openly on the Soviet staff.

Russia's Andrei Gromyko is minister to Cuba by long distance. He lives and works in New York, so far as anyone knows has never set foot in his swank Havana legation.

Roll Call With A Receipe

The Bothwell Homemakers club held its regular meeting May 5 at the home of Mrs. Charles Mittenburg with Miss Emma Lou Mittenburg, hostess.

Due to the absence of the president, Mrs. O. E. Richards, the meeting was called to order by the Vice President, Mrs. Harry Runge. The meeting was opened by singing, "Sing and Smile and Pray." The devotional was read by Mrs. N. J. Kuntz Sr. The roll call was answered by giving, "My Favorite Receipe."

There were eighteen members, seventeen children and seven visitors present. Visitors were Mrs. Mary Wyatt, Mrs. Lillie Benschottn, Mrs. Edward Reamer, Mrs. Chester Anderson, Miss Margaret Pottuson, Miss Freda and Shirley Mittenberg.

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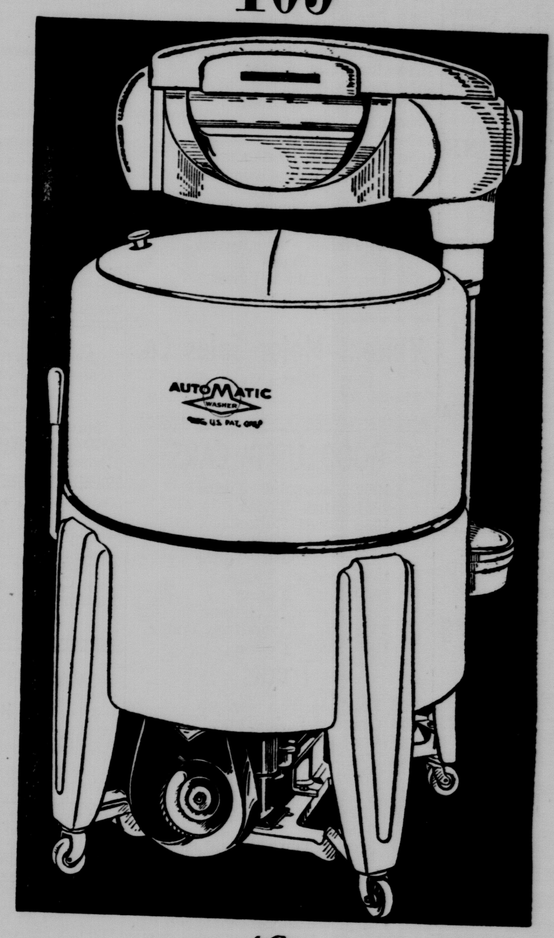

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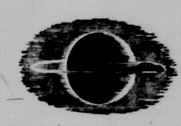

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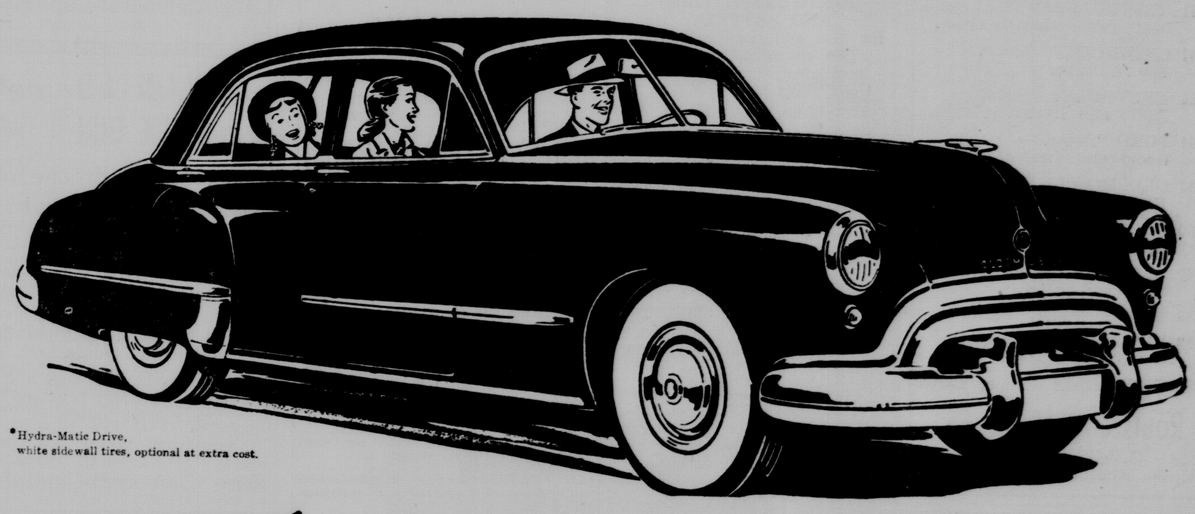

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I—Announcements

3—In Memoriam

MOTHER'S DAY TRIBUTE
to our darling mother,
"Anna Belle McDaniels"
Her Children.

EVEN A SINGLE
BLOSSOM TELLS
SOMEONE YOU
REMEMBERED
PFEIFFER'S FLOWER SHOP

6—Monuments and Cemetery Lots

YOUR FAMILY MONUMENT is bought once and lasts forever. Be wise, choose Heynen Monuments, 301 East 3rd.

7—Personals

FREE DIRT: 922 East 4th.

HAVE YOU SEEN the purple cow in the Window? Pfeiffer's Flower Shop.

WATKINS PRODUCTS: 812 West 16th Phone 1011 Cain, Sedalia Manager.

STALEY'S BEAUTY SHOP is now located 402 South Engineer. Phone 4728.

CONFIDENTALLY we think Fina Foam is tops for cleaning auto upholstery. Rosenthal's Basement.

A COMPLETE LENS grinding plant to give you better optical service. Visitors invited. 110 East Third Street, Sedalia, Missouri.

KANSAS CITY STAR AND TIMES: Morning, evening and Sunday issues, (13 issues per week) 30c a week $1.30 a month. Phone Kansas City Star 292 Sedalia

NOTICE
HARRISON TAXI LINE
has moved to
222 EAST 2nd ST.

NOTICE
THE GOLDEN PALOMINO
STALLION
— GLAMOUR BOY —
Will make the season at the Missouri State Fair Grounds.
See HENRY BECK
on Grounds.

TERMITES

Termites are definitely on the increase in Missouri and doing much damage to homes and other buildings.

Red Wing Exterminating Co.
321½ East Main Phone 5081

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1939 CHEVROLET Tudor, good. 1809 So. Osage.

1941 DODGE sedan. Cheap car in trade. 328 North Engineer.

1937 HUDSON, new motor and tires, heater. 919 West 5th.

GOOD USED CARS: Cheap Decker Used Cars, 15th and Ohio

1937 BUICK, good condition, radio and heater. 112 East Pettis.

1940 CHEVROLET tudor sedan. 712½ South Ohio after 5 p. m.

1931 PLYMOUTH coach. $125.00. 643 East Broadway. Phone 3700.

MODEL-A FORD, 16 inch wheels, metal top. $99.00; 904 Arlington. Phone 4821.

1941 BUICK sedan, good tires, looks good, runs good. 616 East 14th. Phone 2883-W.

1937 CHEVROLET tudor, radio, heater, 5 good tires. Inquire 1219 East 4th after 4:30 p. m.

1941 BUICK sedanette. Motor completely overhauled. See at 618 West 7th after 6 p. m. daily.

1931 BUICK sedan, heater, 5 good tires. Runs good. $165.00. Moore, Wollet Electric Store, 120 West Main.

1940 FORD Military jeep. 4 wheel drive, power take off, good condition. L. A. Palmer, Jr., Syracuse, Missouri.

1936 DODGE SEDAN, excellent mechanical condition. Radio and heater. See Sunday, 1700 South Harrison. Phone 247.

1947 OLDSMOBILE 78, Radio and Heater. Practically New.
1947 CHEVROLET 4-Door Radio and heater, like new.
1942 DODGE 5-Passenger Coupe Radio and heater, clean.
1942 CHEVROLET 4-Door.
1941 CHEVROLET Tudor, radio, heater, exceptionally clean.
1941 CHEVROLET Coupe, low mileage.
1941 CHEVROLET Tudor Radio and heater.
1941 FORD Tudor, Radio and heater.
1941 OLDSMOBILE 66 Coupe Radio and heater.
1940 OLDSMOBILE 66 4-Door Radio and heater.
1940 OLDSMOBILE 98 4-Door, Radio and heater.
1938 DODGE Tudor, heater
1939 PLYMOUTH 4-Door Radio and heater.
1940 CHEVROLET Coupe, heater

Routszong Motor Co.
Olds - G.M.C. Trucks - Cadillac
225 So. Kentucky Phone 190

GOOD - CLEAN AUTOMOBILES
BOUGHT-SOLD-EXCHANGED
1948 WILLYS Station Wagon
1942 PACKARD Sedan
1942 FORD Tudor
1942 STUDEBAKER Sedan
1941 PACKARD Sedan
1941 LINCOLN Sedan
1940 BUICK Sedan
1940 CHEVROLET Tudor
1940 FORD Tudor
2—1939 CHEVROLET Sedans
1939 PONTIAC Club Coupe
1936 PONTIAC Sedan
1936 CHEVROLET Tudor
1935 FORD Coach
1930 FORD Model A Coach
1929 MODEL A FORD, Pick-up Bed
AND OTHERS
1942 CHEVROLET 1 Ton
1940 INTERNATIONAL 1 Ton
1940 CHEVROLET 1½ Ton
1940 FORD 1½ Ton
1938 FORD Pickup
BETTER CARS FOR LESS MONEY
OPEN SUNDAY
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SEE THIS CAR
At a Bargain.
1938 MODEL FORD
Clean - Good Condition
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1946 CHEVROLET Sport Sedan
1941 CHEVROLET Tudor
1940 Buick Special Sedan
1939 DODGE Coupe
1937 PLYMOUTH Sedan
FOR CLEAN USED CARS SEE
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216 So. Missouri Phone 4503

NEW AND USED CARS
1948 Willys Jeep Pickup, 2wd.
1948 Willys Jeeps
1947 Chevrolet Fleetline sedan
1947 Ford sedan
1946 Chevrolet Tudor
1941 Chevrolet Club coupe
1934 Chevrolet Tudor
1939 Dodge sedan
1939 Plymouth Tudor
1937 Ford Tudor
1934 Ford coupe
1933 Plymouth sedan
1934 Dodge coupe
1928 Pontiac coach
1929 Whippet coach
1940 G.M.C. Pickup
1940 Chevrolet Truck
1937 G.M.C. Truck
1937 International Panel
1947 Jeeps
1946 Jeep
Vincent Motor Sales Co.
1001 West Main St.
Phone 23 Sedalia, Mo.

GOOD USED CARS
1929 Chevrolet Tudor
1931 Ford Tudor
1938 Ford Tudor
1939 Ford Tudor
1939 Plymouth Tudor
1939 Dodge Tudor
1940 Ford Tudor
1940 Mercury 4-door
1941 (2) Plymouths, Tudor
1946 Ford Coupe
Trucks
1946 Ford ½-Ton Pickup
1946 Chevrolet ½-Ton Pickup
1947 Ford ½-Ton Pickup
1946 Ford 1½-Ton, stock and grain body.
1946 Ford 2-Ton, cab and chassis
1946 Chevrolet 1½-Ton cab and chassis
1947 Ford 2-Ton cab and chassis
ENGLE MOTORS
Used Cars and Trucks
Headquarters
220 South Ky. Phone 910

11A—House Trailers for Sale

GLIDER HOUSE TRAILER, 24 foot, good condition. 2118 East Broadway.

11B—Trailers for Sale

New Two Wheel
STOCK TRAILER
Factory Built
A Bargain
$175
ENGLE TRACTOR & IMPLEMENT CO.
Main and Lamine Phone 423

12—Auto Trucks for Sale

OR TRADE: 1941 Chevrolet truck, long wheel base. B. F. Hoerman, Smithton, Missouri.

1940 DODGE one ton truck. Eleven miles south Sedalia on Highway 65. See Henry Baslee after 6 p. m. Rural Route, Spring Fork, Missouri.

13—Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts

SPARK PLUGS: You pay for a new set of plugs, in extra gasoline consumed by your old plugs, so why not replace with a new set of Super Trojans, in sets at 45c each, guaranteed 20,000 miles at Midwest Auto Store.

SEE WEAVER TIRE
AND BATTERY
for new and used batteries.
We charge batteries.
Plenty of rentals.
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14A—Garages

MAGNETO REPAIRING—Latest modern equipment. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dewey and Keith's Auto Service. 1603 South Ingram. Phone 4713.

15—Mptorcycles and Bicycles

1942 HARLEY DAVISON motorcycle. $525.00. Phone 4996-J.

16—Repairing—Service Stations

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MINNOW BUCKETS
FISHING TACKLE
LINES, HOOKS, Etc.
Open Nites Till Ten
Every Sunday
FILL AT
FLORAL TIRE AND BATTERY STATION
Highway 65 South Phone 3260

17—Wanted—Automotive

WANTED: JUNK CARS for Salvage. Meyer Junk and Salvage Company 503 West Main. Phone 195.

IF YOU WANT TO
SELL YOUR CAR
See
SULLIVAN MOTOR CO.
216 So. Missouri Phone 4503

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

CONCRETE WORK WANTED: Phone 2937.

RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's Bicycle Shop, 704 South Ohio. 3987.

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered
Continued:

RADIO REPAIRING: Carl R. Goist, 210 South Lamine. Phone 4673.

PUMP REPAIR SERVICE: 4450. O. J. Monsees, 312 East 16th.

RALPH RANDALL, paper cleaner. The cleaner that cleans. Dugan's, 142.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE: Bailes Refrigeration Company. Phone 420.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE: 25 years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.

LAMP WIRING: Antique luamps electrified. O. K. Furniture, 507 South Ohio.

LAWNMOWER GRINDING by electric machine. Work guaranteed. 703 South Lafayette.

ABC WASHER SERVICE: We service all makes. Wollet Electric, 120 West Main. Phone 473.

UPHOLSTERING, slipcovering. John Miller Upholstering Shop, 613 South Engineer 2295.

BUILT-IN CABINETS, fixtures, counters, made to order. Home Craft Cabinet Works, 1501 East 14th. Phone 54.

WASHER SERVICE: Wringer rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup, deliver. Burkholder's, 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

WASHERS, RADIOS, vacuum sweepers repaired. All makes Sales and service. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

MACHINE WORK: Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Mo. Homer Hall, 117-119 South Osage. Phone 766.

PERMANENT WAVE SPECIAL: Our regular $8.50 cream wave for $5.50. Other oil waves, $3.00 up. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS and parts. All makes cleaned and oiled 14 years experience. All work guaranteed Leland Witt, 1318 South Lamine. Phone 3951.

TERMITES ARE DANGEROUS: Be wise and have your house inspected Free inspection no obligation. Out of town calls welcome Red Wing Exterminating Company, 321½ East Main. Phone 5081.

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All Types Welding
"GENE" PATRICK
215 East Main Phone 750

REFRIGERATION
WASHING MACHINE
SERVICE
on all makes and models.
Pickup and Delivery. Phone 3800
WARDS SERVICE DEPT.

18B—For Rent

FLOOR SANDER for rent at Dugans.

CONCRETE MIXERS FOR RENT power driven. $3 day Glenn Pace Phone 3528-J.

For Rent
FLOOR SANDER
Edger and Polisher
POTTS
Construction & Building Supply
420 W. 16th St. Phone 396

COCKROACHES
Why be bothered or embarrassed with this disease carrier.
Call 5081 for further information
Red Wing Exterminating Co.
Week days 5081
Evenings and Sundays 2189

19—Building and Contracting

CARPENTER WORK and painting wanted. Phone 3603-W.

REPAIR WORK and cement of all kinds. Flues and foundation. E. Thompson, 250 East Jackson. Phone 605-J.

21—Dressmaking and Millinery

WANTED: QUILTING, $3.50 per quilt and up. Mrs. Harding, 4675-R.

SLIP COVERS, DRAPES, curtains made, dressmaking, alterations, restyling. Phone 4538

22—Heating, Plumbing, Roofing

3 piece bathroom sets $144.50, Automatic gas water heaters $59.50, Cast iron sinks and cabinets $117.50, 4½' bath tubs—soil pipe and fittings.
INDEPENDENT PLUMBING SUPPLY
109 S. Kentucky

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

HOSPITALIZATION. Health Accident and Life Insurance. Business Men's Assurance Company Wray Birch 1002 South Ohio Phone 727 J

Do You Have COMPLETE
Auto Insurance Protection?
Be sure to investigate the complete protection afforded by M.F.A. Mutual Auto Insurance.
Call or see
R. E. GERSTER,
Local Agent

24—Laundering

WASHINGS and Ironings wanted. 2003 West Broadway. 2543.

EASY WASHDAYS at Serve Your Self Laundry 715 West 16th

CURTAINS carefully washed and stretched. 411 East 3rd. Phone 2957-W.

WASHINGS, IRONINGS by the basket. Also men's laundry. Phone 5053-W.

III—Business Service

24—Laundering
Continued:

WANTED WASHINGS: Phone 1771-W.

CURTAINS STRETCHED, fast dependable service. 644 East 12th. Phone 4549-W.

WASHINGS: Dried, $2.00 basket. Curtains stretched. Blankets, quilts. Phone 269-J.

YOU MAY DO YOUR WASHING drying, ironing here or we will do it for you. Russell's Self Service Laundry 503 East 3rd. phone 878.

CURTAINS STRETCHED, wet wash $1.00. Basket dried, $2.00. Ironings, quilts, blankets, bedspreads, rugs. Pick-up delivery Phone 4538.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

DELIVERY MOVING HAULING: Phone 4538.

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Also Agent for Out-of-State Vans

26—Painting, Papering, Decorating

PAPER HANGING and painting. Phone 3864.

PAINTING, roofing and siding. Phone 2385.

PAPER HANGING and painting Phone 3430-J

WALL PAPER CLEANING and painting. Estimates given. Phone 5021-J.

28—Professional Services

A COMPLETE LENS grinding plant to give you better optical service. Visitors invited. 110 East Third Street, Sedalia, Missouri.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

FLOOR SANDING—by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W

CHIMNEY FOUNDATION, carpenter and roof repair work. Phone 2496-J.

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE refinishing. Antiques. J. R. Starkey Phone 2853-J

ROOF REPAIRING chimney and carpenter work, painting Phone 2870 J. M. Holloway, 901 South Moniteau.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

COOK and waitress, night work. Phone 4219 after 5 p. m.

AMAZING! $25 is yours for selling 50 boxes greeting cards at $1. Your profit to 50c, also napkins and coasters with name on. Costs nothing to try. Samples on approval. Merit, 70 Williams Street, Department 327, Newark 2, New Jersey.

Desirable Position
now available for
GIRL OR WOMAN
For retail sales work, also assist with stock and office work.
Write Box "53"
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WANTED
OFFICE GIRL
for position with one of Sedalia's oldest and best known firms.
Must be able to type, take dictation, handle filing work and do general office work.
This is a permanent position for qualified person.
State age, address, telephone number, experience, salary expected in your first letter.
WRITE BOX 52
Care Democrat-Capital

33—Help Wanted—Male

YOUNG MAN with sales ability. Clothing experience preferred. Steady position for right man. Apply in person. Walker's Clothing. 109 West Main.

WANTED: MAN free to travel on educational program starting about June 7th. $50.00 weekly salary and opportunity for earning double and triple this amount. Applicants accepted will be given opportunity to learn sales talk before starting. Address Co-op Department, American Technical Society, 850 East 58th Street, Chicago 37, Illinois.

SALESMAN WANTED
With Automobile
for position of
ASSISTANT MANAGER
with Singer Sewing Machine Co. Must be between 25 and 40. Married and ambitious.
A wonderful future for right man. Salary, automobile allowance and commission.
Apply 8 to 10 a.m.
Mr. Mitchell
SINGER SEWING CENTER
Sedalia, Mo.

IV—Employment

33—Help Wanted—Male
Continued:

WANTED CARRIER BOYS for Kansas City Star Harry Brougher Phone 292

TRUCK DRIVERS: Glen Jones, 643 East Thirteenth between 9 a. m. and 12 noon Sunday.

MARRIED MAN for steady farm work. House, garden, milk and wood. Milt Smith, Water Works Road.

TREE TRIMMER WANTED: Experienced in line clearing. First class. Union scale. Phone 164--W, Warrensburg, Mo.

MAN WANTED
for farm implement repair and new implement servicing. Prefer one with this type experience or one who has had truck or car repair experience
Write
Box "55" Democrat

33A—Salesman Wanted

MAN for Rawleigh business which just became available. Good opportunity for willing workers. Apply Rawleigh's, Department MOE-452-140, Freeport, Illinois.

PHOTO-SALESMEN-AGENTS
See beautiful hand colored plastic enlargements. Collect deposit, we deliver. Profitable sideline. Send card for free sample kit. Novel Photo, 3343 West North Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

WILL CARE FOR CHILD in my home. Phone 3472-J.

WILL CARE FOR children in my home. Steady or part time. Phone 4682-J.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

DOES YOUR LAWN need mowing? Prompt service. Call 4099-W.

V—Financial

38—Business Opportunities

BEAUTY SHOP: Excellent opportunity. Reasonable. Write Box 56 care Democrat.

WANTED TO BUY—Small business or will consider partnership. For information write Box 27 Care Democrat.

MAKE BIG MONEY right at home bronzing Baby Shoes and Novelties full or spare time. Kiktavi Company, 8620 South Ruthelen, Los Angeles 44, California.

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FARM AND CITY LOANS: 4% no commission. W. D. Smith.

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VI—Instruction

42B—Instruction—Male

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VII—Live Stock

47A—Rabbits for Sale

DOES with babies, does bred, one white buck and fryers. Chickens, fryers. Robert Shull, 1403 South Harrison.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

WORK MULE, smooth mouth. 311 East Cooper. Phone 563-J.

CHOICE two year old Guernsey. Heifer calf. 1622 South Sneed.

HEREFORD BULLS — registered, yearlings. Olin Klein, Smithton, Missouri.

DUROC BOAR, registered, 4 stock pigs. Good milk cow. Raymond Williams, LaMonte, Missouri.

TWO, Wisconsin Guernsey cows, week old heifer calves at side. First calf. Call 4027 Sedalia after 7 p. m.

49—Poultry and Supplies

CHICKS: Six weeks old, at 410 South Washington. Phone 4539-J.

FINISHING BATTERIES for sale. Bargain price. Farris Poultry. Phone 177.

BABY CHIX: 10c and 12c each. Three weeks old 25c each. Silent Sioux Brooder and Chick Supplies. Ferguson Poultry Farm. Phone 270, Tipton, Mo.

BABY CHICKS from Pettis County's finest egg strains A new hatch off every Monday. Eggs for custom hatching welcome. Headquarters for Conkeys Y O feeds for poultry and other live stock Feeders, fountains, brooders, floor litter, poultry medicine, etc for sale Phone 3076 or call in person. Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 202 West 4th, Sedalia, Mo

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Pay Postman $4.95 per 100
ASSORTED CHICKS—ROCKS, RED WYANDOTTES, ENGLISH LEGHORNS. SEX AND BREED OUR CHOICE. Special for this week only.
NO CULLS, NO CRIPPLES, RUSH ORDER TODAY.
BIDDLE'S BAXTER SPRINGS, KANSAS.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

POULTRY and eggs wanted High Point Service Phone 4224

KILLER HORSES AND MULES: Dunkin 117 East Broadway Phone 340

TOP PRICES PAID for quality fryers and hens Will Farris. Phone 177.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

DOOR MIRRORS, all sizes at Dugans.

MALL CHAIN SAW practically new. Phone 526.

SINGER SWEEPER, electric, good condition. Phone 3223.

TWO PICTURE WINDOWS. Free dirt. 328 North Engineer.

KEROSENE STOVE, 3 burner, with oven. Fur coat. 1523 East 4th.

TWO new 516 gallon storage tanks. Oliver Renfrow, Ionia, Mo.

10 BALL MACHINE, new comera. Antique lamp, desk. Phone 54.

NEW gas engine washing machine. Firsick's, 1804 So. Osage, 2592-R.

BROODER HOUSE, chicken feeders, used flooring. 1801 South Carr. Phone 2572.

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NEW TYLER REACHIN CASE, 40 cubic feet, blower type, double duty 2 glass display. Call 4405 before 6 p. m.

CULL HANDLES for tomato sticks and other purposes, 4 feet long. Zepher Manufacturing Company, 400 West 2nd.

THAYER DELUXE, collapsible baby buggy, with pad. Excellent condition. Reasonable. 820 West 5th. Phone 4790-J.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale
Continued:

SOME GOOD USED GUNS at Middleton's Gun Shop, 321 East Main. Telescope sights mounted. Phone 3481 Frank Middleton.

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts, vacuum cleaner bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

Practically New
MANLEY POP CORN MACHINE
Plenty of supplies to start operating. A real bargain for someone. See Monday at
ZERO LOCKER MARKET

For Sale
OLD NEWSPAPERS
10c per bundle
Pick up at
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$2.50 and up
For all washing machines
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MONTGOMERY WARD
Service Department

WEEKLY SPECIAL
Prices good from May 10th to May 15th inclusive.
Union Number 5 Ball-Bearing roller skates, Regular price $3.95. Special, $3,59. Limited supply.
16 inch Zipper Bag, leather reinforced. Regular price $2.49. Special price $2.19.
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213 South Ohio Phone 123

51B—Dead Animals

TOP PRICES PAID FOR fallen animals. Prompt truck pickup anywhere in this territory Just phone 3033 Sedalia Collect. Standard Rendering Company.

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES FOR DEAD STOCK
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Small animals picked up Free of charge.
We give prompt sanitary truck service day or night.
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SEDALIA—4279
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Feeding Tankage
For Sale

52—Boats and Accessories

SPEED BOAT and 24 horse power Johnson motor. 1500 South Missouri. Phone 1081.

53—Building Materials

NATIVE OAK $4.50 per 100 at mill. Louis Abbott, Stover.

ROAD AND CONCRETE GRAVEL — black dirt Call 1197-J Prompt delivery

OAK LUMBER: Any length and dimensions. At my farm northeast of Cross Timbers, Missouri. Frank Cox, Jordan, Missouri.

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54—Business and Office Equipment

UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER: Standard model, good condition. Phone 3171.

TWO GLASS SHOW CASES, one wooden counter. Two floor fans and one wall fan. Sages, 206 South Ohio.

EDIPHONE DICTATOR, $35.00. Ediphone transcriber, $90.00. Ediphone shaver, $65.00. Complete set $160.00. Equipment in good repair. Zephyr Manufacturing Company, 400 West 2nd.

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WARDS TABLE MODEL SEPARATOR
Accurately skims 35 quarts in 20 minutes. Open, seamless spouts are easier to keep dairy clean. All gears enclosed, and bathed in oil, for long wear, smooth operation.
Only $31.50
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55A—Farm Equipment

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GOODALL 4 cycle 18 inch power mower. Used one season. Price $112.00. Kenneth Martens, Stover, Missouri.

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Wards cooler cabinets are rigidly constructed of heavy materials and scientifically designed to afford sanitary cooling and storage of milk on the farm.
Available in 4-6-8
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6-Can Cooler $313.50
WARDS FARM STORE

VIII—Merchandise

55A—Farm Equipment
Continued:

62 INTERNATIONAL COMBINE, bought late in 1944. J. W. Bell, Houstonia, Missouri. Phone 4-F-4, Houstonia.

FARMALL F-30 TRACTOR, disc, plow and mower. New rubber. One or all. Martin Klein, LaMonte, Missouri.

TRACTOR CULTIVATOR, old type, fit regular 20 or 30 Farmall. E. C. Glazebrook, 1 mile east Longwood, Missouri.

McCORMICK DEERING milk cooler, 8 can capacity, perfect condition. Bungalow Boat Company, 216 South Kentucky. Phone 509.

TRACTOR CULTIVATOR for F-20 Farmall tractor. Number 221-G. Good condition. Marion Minor, La Monte, Mo. Ph. 39-F-32, La Monte.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

OAK AND HICKORY WOOD, dry or green. Phone 2915-W

59—Household Goods

GAS STOVE, used. 1409 South Carr.

OAK BUFFET: 1807 South Carr.

COOLERATOR, like new. 123 East Saline.

GOOD Hollywood bed. 1421 South Prospect.

KITCHEN SINK, cheap. 1408 South Kentucky.

GAS HEATER, utility base cabinet. Phone 4875-J.

OAK WARDROBE, 14 foot ladder, New. Phone 683.

MAHOGANY DINETTE set, practically new. Phone 4775.

GRUNOW REFRIGERATOR, 6½ cubic foot. Phone 1354.

OAK PORCH SWING with chains, Good condition. 217 East 2nd.

STUDIO COUCH, chair, violin, case. Phone 3681 after 5 p. m.

COAL AND WOOD RANGE, two doors, good condition. Phone 3697.

ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINE. 1601 South Barrett. Phone 2780.

ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR, good condition. 318 South Hancock.

PHILCO RADIO, table model, almost new. Reasonable. Phone 3867.

3 SEWING MACHINES: Portable, electric, good. Firsick's, 1804 South Osage.

TWO GAS HEATERS, heats from 2 to 4 rooms. Like new. 210 East 7th after 5 p. m.

HOOVER ELECTRIC SWEEPER and day bed. $7.50 each. Other articles. Phone 4931-J.

YOUTH BED, interspring mattress, excellent condition. Reasonable. 1321 South Carr.

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ICE BOXES, sewing machines, washers, furniture, etc. Ralph's Second Hand Store, 106 West 11th. Open evenings.

4 ROOMS OF FURNITURE including bed-davenport suite, new gas heaters, 9 piece dining room suite, etc. 1609 South Stewart. Phone 3490-J.

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ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS and washing machines, reconditioned and rebuilt. Reasonable. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 South Lamine. Phone 4710.

ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR, ice boxes, high chairs, breakfast nook, porcelain breakfast table, springs, and interspring mattresses. Electric stove; apartment size gas stove, mangle, other articles. Mid-State Storage and Transfer Company. Phone 946.

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1 Tea cart
1 Wardrobe dresser
2 Twin Simmons beds, complete
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1 Double Simmons bed
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1 Rocker
1 Serving table
1 Desk
2 Metal Fernery
1 Ping-Pong table
1 Tall lamp
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59B—Furniture for Rent

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company

62—Musical Merchandise

NICKELODEON in A-1 condition. Charles Roberts, Phillips 66 Station, Lincoln, Missouri.

BACH TRUMPET, Stradivarious model. In absolute A-1 condition. See at 2400 South Kentucky.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: Clarinet and sax reeds, music stands, batons, instrument cases, violin and guitar strings. Meredith Piano Shop, 105 West 11th.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

TOMATO PLANTS: 910 East 14th.

TOMATO PLANTS: $1.00 per 100. 1309 West Main.

TOMATO PLANTS for sale. Phone 1013. 423 West 4th.

PEPPER and tomato plants. 408 South Babcock. Phone 1232-J.

TOMATO, cabbage, peppers grown in steam sterlized soil. 717 East 17th.

VIII—Merchandise

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers
Continued:

SHRUBS, hardy flower plants. 1500 South Quincy. 1755-W. Mrs. Anderson.

PERENNIAL SHRUBS, roses Nice selection. Rainbow Gardens, 18th and Summit.

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WANTED: Good used Singer sewing machine. Phone 5121-R-4.

WANTED: Good used sewing machine. Reasonable. Phone 2973 or 4101-J.

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HIGHEST PRICES PAID for good used furniture. Callies Furniture Company.

WANTED: Old time chenille table covers, fringed towels, coverlets. Mrs. Clayton, 1862.

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WANTED MODEL A, motorcycle, motorbike, small gasoline motor, power lawn mower. 1500 south Missouri. Phone 1081.

WANTED SCRAP IRON, car body tin. Free pick-up, delivery from one ton and up. Meyer Junk and Salvage. 503 West Main. Phone 195.

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PICTURE FRAMES, hand painted china, unusual cutglass pieces. Haviland china. Old silver. Antique furniture and shutters. Mrs. Aven, 511 West 5th. Phone 2732-J.

IX—Rooms and Board

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM—511 West 2nd.

SLEEPING ROOM: 521 East 10th. Phone 4432-W.

SLEEPING ROOM: 1005 South Missouri. Phone 4589-M.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM: 1212 East 5th. Phone 673-W.

SLEEPING ROOM, gentleman preferred. 830 West 6th. Phone 2891.

MODERN sleeping room. Gentleman preferred. 317 West 6th. Phone 153.

DOWNSTAIRS BEDROOM adjoining bath, cool for summer. Phone 3931-W.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM: Employed girl or gentleman. 709 South Kentucky.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM: Employed lady or gentleman. 710 West 4th. Phone 3595-W.

TWO ADJOINING sleeping rooms, private bath, telephone. Close-in. Phone 1735-R.

TWO MODERN sleeping rooms, gentlemen preferred. 218 West 5th St. Call after 5 p.m.

X—Real Estate for Rent

72—Where to Stop in Town

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XI—Real Estate for Sale

84—Houses for Sale
Continued:

HOUSE: 5 room, hardwood floors. 1809 South Osage.

HOUSE: 5 rooms, lights, water. 2115 East Broadway.

FIVE ROOM modern house, steel built-in cabinets. 708 East 17th.

FIVE ROOMS and bath, lights, water and gas. Phone 3420-J or see at 527 East 5th.

STRICTLY MODERN HOUSE with apartment. Immediate possession. By owner. 520 South Summit.

HOUSE: Modern, 6 rooms, on one of Sedalia's best streets. Southwest. Possession 30 days. Phone 2873.

ONE ROOM HOUSE, nice for cabin or living quarters. Phone 203 between 9 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. and ask for Betty.

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SMALL STORE BUILDING in small town near Sedalia. Sell on monthly payments or trade clear for equity in house. Kent D. Johnson, 412½ So. Ohio. Phone 700.

7 ROOM HOUSE for sale. 631 East 15th. All newly decorated, hardwood floors, strictly modern, two car garage, 1½ lots, corner house. See G. J. Tober, Georgetown road, or call 5272-W-1.

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TWO LOTS, good house, barn, garage, well by door, smoke house, cellar, good garden spot. Electricity, $2,000.00. Eleven miles from Lake of Ozarks. Inquire Charles Roberts, Phillips 66 Station, Lincoln, Missouri.

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Four rooms, modern $6,500
Seven rooms, modern $8,000
Seven rooms, modern $10,000
Eight rooms, modern, close in, $8,500.
Four rooms, good location $5,000
Four rooms, modern except heat, large grounds $5,500
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6 ROOMS, full basement, gas furnace, good terms, north side, $4,200.
10 ACRES, 4 rooms, new, electricity. Good Terms, $4,200.
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Strictly modern, large living room, 20 feet of built-in cabinets, forced air automatic gas furnace, beautiful oak floors, insulated combination storm sash and screens, Utility room and large garage. Exterior Permastone guaranteed 20 years. Possession. 1605 West 14th.

New 6-Room House, strictly modern. Plenty of built-ins. Forced air automatic gas furnace. Glass bathroom, large basement with shower and toilet. Plenty of garden space. Storm sash and screens. Large garage. Fruit trees and berries. Possession.
1440 South Beacon

Both houses for sale by owner.
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85—Lots for Sale

THREE LOTS, with sewer and utilities to trade for good used cars. Phone 1179.

89—Wanted—Real Estate

WANTED TO BUY: Improved farm with electricity, on terms. Write Box 49 care Democrat.

XII—Auctions—Legals

90—Auction Sales

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Home From Convnention

Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, 1317 East Broadway, returned Friday from Springfield where they attended the State Baptist Sunday school convention on Thursday.

On Friday they were guests of their daughter, Miss Rose Marie Reed, a student at Drury college for the annual observance of Mother's Day. They atended the traditional chapel service honoring the mothers of students and the Mother's Day luncheon.

Drury college is this year observing its 75th anniversary and an enjoyable feature of the affair was the parade of fashions depicting campus styles from 1873 to 1948.

There was also an art exhibit, an athletic demonstration, and open house at the girls' new dormitory, Belle Hall.

The afternoon program closed with a reception and tea.

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BY HER First Name
AS SOME Do
THE MEANING
IS JUST The Same
IT'S A Name
THEY LOVE To Say
AND SHE Loves
TO HEAR
IT MEANS Something
SUBSTANTIAL
SOMETHING THAT
TO A Child
MEANS SECURITY
ONE LITTLE Girl
DOESN'T KNOW
THAT PRETTY-MAMMA
IS TWO Words
SHE ALWAYS Refers
TO HER Mother
AS MY Pretty-Mamma
SHE SENDS Her Off
WITH A Wave
AND A Smile
AND A WISH For Her
TO HAVE A Good Time
THEN SHE Spends
MOST OF The Time
WHILE SHE'S Gone
ASKING
"WHEN WILL My
PRETTY-MAMMA
BE BACK"
AND THE Pretty-Mamma
WHO REALLY Isn't
TOO BAD Looking
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AND FRIENDS
AS MUCH As To Say
"I HAVE Her Fooled"
I THANK YOU

FOR SALE
5 Rooms, modern except heat, near Bothwell Hospital.
6 Rooms, modern, 2 lots, S. W.
5 Rooms, strictly modern, 400 block west.
6 Rooms, strictly modern, 115 East 6th.
6 Rooms, 1 story, modern, built-in kitchen, 917 W. 5th.
5 Rooms, modern, 1½ lots, So. Vermont.
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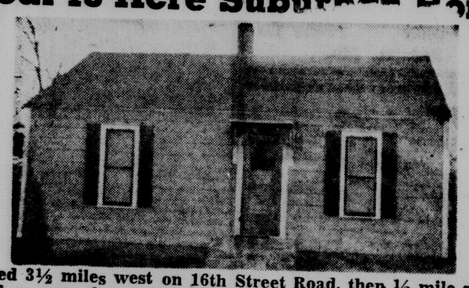

Located 3½ miles west on 16th Street Road, then ½ mile south. New four-room house with built-in kitchen. Has good well, new 16x20-ft. garage. On good 10-acre tract with 7 acres in pasture. Has good oil heater and tank. Electricity and telephone. On mail route; school across the road. Price $3950. $1650 cash handles, balance payable at $32 per month. Inquire of owner, Marcus Kueck at Main Street Drug, Main and Ohio, or see at site any evening after 6 p.m. or all day Sunday.

Homes For Sale—Possession 30 Days or Less

1806 South Sneed, 5 rooms, new. $8250.00. $5900.00 F. H. A. loan has been approved.

2119 South Kentucky, 4 rooms and bath, 2¾ acres, large chicken house, fruit, berries, shrubs and flowers. Early possession.

5 Rooms all modern, South Osage. $7000.00.

1900 South Summit, 5 rooms, all modern, 3 lots. $7000.00.

5 Rooms, 8 lots in Syracuse. Immediate possession. $2250.00.

7 Rooms on one floor, West side, all new, all modern. Immediate possession. $14,000.

801 East 12th, 3 rooms, ½ bath, 5 lots. $3500.00.

5 Rooms all modern, South Barrett. $8000.00.

7 Rooms modern, west side. $11,500.00

9 Rooms all modern, 10 acres, close in. $16,000.00.

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48 Acres unimproved No. 65. $2500.00.

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40 Acres between Hughesville and Highway 65, highly improved. $10,000.00.

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PUBLIC SALE

As I am moving to Sedalia and because of my inability to carry on in farming, I will sell at public auction my entire stock of dairy cattle, chickens, and furniture, on the farm known as the Don Bell farm on the Hastain and Knobby road 3 miles south of Hastain and 2 miles west, ¾ mile north of Knobby, on

SATURDAY, MAY 15 - 1:00 P.M.

CATTLE
1 Brown Jersey, 4 yrs., 6 gal.
1 Jersey cow, 3 yrs., heifer calf by side, 3 gal.
1 Red cow, 3 yrs., 5 gal.
1 Large red cow, 6 yrs., fresh by day of sale, 6 gal.
1 Large Holstein cow, 7 yrs., fresh by day of sale, 7 gal.
1 Jersey heifer, 1 yr., fresh soon
10 Young Jersey cows, heavy milkers, some with calves.
All cattle are T. B. and Bangs tested.

CHICKENS
175 Triple A Leghorn hens, sell eggs to Marti Hatchery
10 Leghorn roosters, AAAA
(All chickens blood tested)

FURNITURE
2 Linoleum rugs, 9 by 12
1 New gas washing machine
2 Aladdin lambs
1 Lantern
1 Coolerator, good as new
1 Gas iron
4 Irons
2 Cook stove ranges
1 Wood heater
2 Tables
1 Chest of drawers
1 Bed, springs and mattress.
Some dishes and pans
17 Bales of good hay
One lot of good stove wood
Some canned fruit
1 Large stock or water tank
2 Milk cans, 10 gal.
1 Milk strainer
1 Iron wash boiler and tub
1 Garden plow and tools
1 Mail box
Saws, forks, hoes, shovels, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—CASH Nothing to be removed until settled for.
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Community News From Hughesville

Mrs. Harold Conway

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rages and daughter Miss Katheryn Rages entertained at 6:00 o'clock dinner Monday evening, the following: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fiske and son Henry III of Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Anna Ringen of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Fowler. Mrs. Ringen and her house guests, the Riske family, spent the night in the Rages home, returning to Sedalia Tuesday.

Sergeant and Mrs. Norval Waggoner and daughter Delores of San Francisco, Calif., stopped off for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wheeler and family en route to Ft. Knox, Ky., where he has been transferred.

Mrs. Faye Smith of Kansas City spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Tom McCarty, Pauline and Glen. Other guests in the home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tuck and children, Frankie and Jeanie all of Houstonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morang and sons Jimmy and Bobby, of Athens, Ga., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Parkhurst and her sister, Mrs. Hershel Rissler and Mr. Rissler. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Crouse of M. S. T. C. Warrensburg were guests over the week-end of the Risslers.

Frank Hieronymus had a letter from his grandson, Frank Hieronymus II, saying he is with the Air Force stationed in San Antonio, Texas.

The Rev. John Stuart Mills of Sedalia was a visitor here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schang and daughters Wilma and Dorothy spent Sunday in Fayette at Central College.

Robert Wiley who underwent an operation in Kansas City, is now at home. The baby is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wiley and is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Elsa Moon of Sedalia were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campbell of Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Meyers had for dinner guests Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Demand of Smithton.

Mr. and Mr. Harry Judd, of Sedalia were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Rissler.

Services were conducted Sunday by a student minister from Columbia at the Christian church. There will be services again Sunday, May 9. The regular pastor is at Topeka, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Rissler entertained Sunday in honor of their son, Billy Lee who was three years old. Guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Judd of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morengo and sons Bobby and Jimmy of Athens, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Crouse of Warrensburg, Miss Ruth Ann Parkhurst, Miss Margaret Wisenis, students at M. S. T. C., Mrs. Rosalee Daniels and daughters Janice and Carolyn, John Wesley Parkhurst.

Mrs. Leroy Reesee who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nagle during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Dunham and family of near Georgetown is spending several days with Mrs. Hill and sons, Ed and Linn.

The Bethel church held a covered dish luncheon Sunday at the Smelser school in observance of family relatives week day, their pastor, Rev. Wayne Haines giving a 4-H talk and prayer with the additional program under the leader chairmanship of Mrs. Clara Liecler: Junior Thompson, vocal solo; Billy Liecler, piano solo; Loretta Schroeder, vocal solo; Marjorie Liecler; Junior Thompson, cornet solo; dialogue by Olson family; poems by Mrs. Liecler and Mrs. Vannoy; trombone solo by Eddie Schroeder; 4-H club song and pledge by all members, concluding with a prayer by Rev. Haines.

Joe Henry Martin who underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis at the Bothwell hospital ten days ago returned to his home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rissler, Mrs. David Roberts of Sedalia were among the visitors Sunday at the Thomas Tevebaugh home. Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas is seriously ill.

The Hughesville Women's Extension club will meet with Mrs. Henry Nagle with a covered dish luncheon on Wednesday with Mrs. Raymond Nagle and Mrs. Chet Marshall assistant hostesses.

Tom and Jim Harvey an Van Jones of Sedalia were visitors in the Hut McClure home near Otterville on Monday. Mr. McClure was reported as very much better.

The seniors and members of the faculty had dinner Thursday evening at the Old Missouri Homestead in Sedalia.

The freshmen and sophomores had a line party at the Fox Theatre Tuesday evening. Tuesday, the juniors entertained the seniors in an all day outing in Kansas City visiting the various industries with lunch at the Swope Park and dinner in the evening at the Forum.

Announcements have been received here of the wedding of Miss Susan Margaret Culp to Mr. John Thorpe Feidt. The marriage took place at 5:00 o'clock at the home of the mother, Mrs. Jesse J. Culp in Warrensburg. Mr. Feidt is the son of George D. Feidt of Philadelphia, Pa. Miss Culp formerly taught in the Hughesville high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Delzell and sons David and Charles of Wichita, Kas., are now living in Kansas City. Mrs. Delzell is the former Sara Lee Forrest of this vicinity and daughter of Henry Forrest or Sedalia.

Miss Ellen Holmes, fifth and sixth grade teacher of Hughesville school, wishes to thank the many friends and pupils for the cards and letters received during her recent illness at which time she she spent at her home near Slater.

R. J. Palmer who has been service man at Montgomery Wards, left Saturday for Amarillo, Texas where he will be manager. This is quite a promotion for Mr. Palmer. While the people here are sorry to have them leave but, wish them success in their new location.

Community News From Houstonia

By Mrs. Bennie Martin

The missionary of the community church held their May meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Norfleet with Miss Ruby Tuck as program leader.

Professor and Mrs. Roy E. Freund and family and Mrs. Mary Graves of Warsaw, Mo., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Blackburn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey H. Houchen of Smithton were calling on relatives and friends here Tuesday.

On Wednesday, April 28, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tuck Sr. entertained for dinner Mr. and Mrs. Eaken Hurt of Olatha, Kansas; Mrs. George Janish of near DeSota, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Jay B. Dorsey. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dorsey entertained the Kansas people for supper and over night. The ladies were here and attended the twenty fifth anniversary of the Womans Federated club on Wednesday afternoon, as they were former members.

Mr. Artie Nutt of Kansas City spent the week end with his family here. On Sunday they went to Sedalia park where they met Mr. Nutts parents. Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Nutt, daughter Willa Jean of Elkton, Mo. and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nutt of Springfield, Mo.; and all enjoyed a basket dinner.

Mrs. T. A. Ballenger and daughter, Lona and son Aubrey of east of Sweet Springs visited friends here Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rhoadus have named their baby, Darrell Alfred.

Mrs. Dave Shields spent several days last week in Marshall with her mother, Mrs. Rhoda Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wicker, daughter Paty Lou, spent Wednesday in Kansas City where Paty Lou had a check up at the Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Messer and daughter of Albany, Mo. spent the week end with relatives.

Rev. George Newkirk of Columbia filled the pulpit here Sunday morning at the Baptist church. He was accompanied here by his wife and a daughter. They were entertained for dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams.

Rural Life Sunday was observed Sunday at the community church.

Rev. Walter Jones attended a convention of ministers in Sedalia Wednesday and Wednesday evening.

Rev. Walter Jones, daughter Arleta and Doris Smith spent Saturday in south Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin and family of near LaMonte visited in the Bennie Martin home, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Leslie Stuart of Centrallia, Mo. spent from Tuesday until Thursday evening of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McClure.

Mr. T. C. Homan is visiting his daughters and family near Avalon and Strasburg, Mo.

Plan Rural Life Sunday

The Striped College 4-H club held their regular meeting on May 5 at the school with twenty eight members and seven visitors present.

The meeting opened by all the members repeating the club pledge. Roll call was answered by each member reciting a garden riddle.

During the business session, plans were made for Rural Life Sunday, which is to be celebrated at the school on May 16 at 8:00 o'clock. A demonstration on the "Care of Shoes" was given by Pete Siegel. Ruth Hopkins held a discussion on "How To Be a Good Guest." A letter of thanks from Care for a gift package which was sent by the club was read by Lillian Bahner.

During social hour, songs were sung and games played. Refreshments were served by Mrs. M. T. Dabner, Mrs. John Linville and Mrs. Benton West. The next meeting will be June 2.

Demonstrationn On Food Given

The Meet Your Neighbor club met May 5 at the home of Mrs. William Yancey, with eleven members present.

The meeting was opened by singing "America" and reading the "Club Collect." Mrs. Charles Arnold gave the devotional. Minutes of the last meeting were ready by secretary, Mrs. William Yancy, and approved.

Mrs. L. W. De Bord, read the news letter from Miss Esther Dilsaver, and one, subject "Music" was read by Mrs. G. M. Breckenridge.

Several "Mother's Day" poems were read, after that a song, "Faith of Our Fathers" and a game was played.

A demonstration was given by Mrs. William Yancey and Mrs. J. L. Conoway on foods. The food consisting of bean soup, ham casserole, cheese salad and punch was cooked and served to club members.

The club will meet June 2 with Mrs. Walter Nicholson.

Divorce Petition Filed

A divorce petition was filed Saturday in circuit court by Fidela Morris against James H. Morris in which general indignities were alleged. They were married January 29, 1946 and separated in September of 1946.

G. W. Anson is attorney for the plaintiff.

Traffic Cases

W. S. Williamson, R. F. D. No. 5, arrested by the police for careless and reckless driving around Garst Drive Inn, pleaded guilty to Judge Harry O. Berry, in police court Saturday morning and was fined $10.

Six overtime parkers failed to appear in court and their one-dollar bonds were forfeited.

Additional Society

Mrs. William Griesson, 409 South New York avenue, was surprised by a group of friends on her birthday anniversary Friday.

A contributive luncheon featuring a large, decorated birthday cake was served at the noon hour.

Those attending were Mrs. R. Fetters, Mrs. Sam Simons, Mrs. S. Stevens, Mrs. Walter Jesse, Mrs. Roy Knox, Mrs. Ira Knox and Marian, Mrs. Blanche Wilson, Mrs. P. Wensch, Mrs. T. O. Buzzard, Mrs. Homer Earhart, Mrs. Berry Bohling, Mrs. M. Higgins, Mrs. Leo Robb, Mrs. R. Shelley, Mrs. Griesson and Mrs. George Cramer.

The afternoon was spent in games and conversation.

Mrs. Griesson received many nice gifts.

The Auxiliary to the Pettis County Medical Society held the last meeting of the year Friday at the home of Mrs. A. J. Campbell, 219 East Broadway.

Reports for the year were given. Mrs. Campbell, who was a delegate to the state convention, gave a detailed review of the convention.

The following officers were elected to serve for the new year: Mrs. A. J. Hite, president; Mrs. M. P. Shy, vice president; Mrs. D. R. Edwards, secretary; Mrs. C. H. Brady, treasurer; Mrs. W. T. Bishop, parliamentarian.

Royal Rebekah Lodge 260 held its regular meeting at the Odd Fellows Hall, Friday evening. In absence of the Noble Grand, the meeting was presided over by the Vice Grand, Mrs. George Starke.

Routine business was disposed of and an invitation was read to the Rebekahs of Slater, to celebrate their fiftieth anniversary.

This meeting is to be on Friday evening, May 28.

Church News

The Business Women's Circle of the Congregational Presbyterian church will meet Thursday evenning at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Miss Mable DeWitt, 717 East Ninth street.

Operators of Aviation Meet

The Missouri Aviation Operators Association held its meeting Friday night at the Bothwell hotel.

Bert Clutter, operator of the Kirksville Municipal Airport, president, presided over the meeting.

The operators discussed ways of improving safety facilities, flight training and stimulate flying interest. They also discussed contract renewals and rates for G. I. Flight Training. Effort is being made to establish a universal price rate and flight curriculum among all operators.

The majority of the operators flew to Sedalia to attend the meeting. Transportation to the city was provided by the Funk Flying Service. Several of the operators flew home after the meeting. Temporary lighting facilities for night take off was provided at the local field.

Here For First Time In Thirty-One Years

Mrs. E. G. Flanegan, of Tacoma, Wash., visited Sedalia, her old home town, Friday, the first time she had been back since she left here as a little girl 31 years ago. She was visiting in Kansas City in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Smith and they decided to bring her down to Sedalia. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Smith, 208 West Seventeenth street.

Mrs. Flanegan, formerly Beatrice Hill, said she was having a grand time in Sedalia, and it was a real treat to see the town again.

Enters Hospital

Elvis Howerton, of 1524 South Grand avenue, entered the Wadsworth hospital for an appendicitis operation Saturday morning.

Mrs. Howerton and his mother, Mrs. Uel Howerton, accompanied him to the hospital.

Visited Son In Hospital

Della Johnson, of 508 North Washington avenue, returned to her home Friday night from Topeka, Kas., where she visited her son, Leon Williams world war veteran, who is a patient there.

Lodge Notices

Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, May 11, at 8:00 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. Educational program, moving pictures, mens choral chorus and social session.
Ethel S. Abney, WM.
May Highleyman, Sec'y.

Neapolis Lodge No. 153 will meet in regular session at their hall, 114½ East 5th, Tuesday, May 11th. Meeting starts promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Visitors always welcome.
Bill Reid, Secretary.

Regular meeting of Job's Daughters Wednesday, May 12. Annual Mother and Daughter banquet at 6:30 p. m. Regular meeting and initiation following.
Anita Isgur, H. Q.
Mary Ann Johnson, Rec.

Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. & A. M. will meet in special communication on Monday May 10 at 7:00 o'clock p. m. for examination in the first degree, work in the 2nd degree, examination in the 2nd degree and work in the Master Mason degree.
The Worshipful Master will be pleased to have good attendance of members.
All Fellowcrafts are welcome to attend the 2nd degree and the examinations.
Visiting Master Masons are always appreciated and welcomed.
Everett C. Kemp, W. M.
Ralph F. Boies, Sec'y.

Fined One Dollar

N. C. Huffman, charged with not having a fishing license, pleaded guilty to Magistrate W. M. Ilgenfritz, Saturday afternoon, and was fined one dollar and costs.

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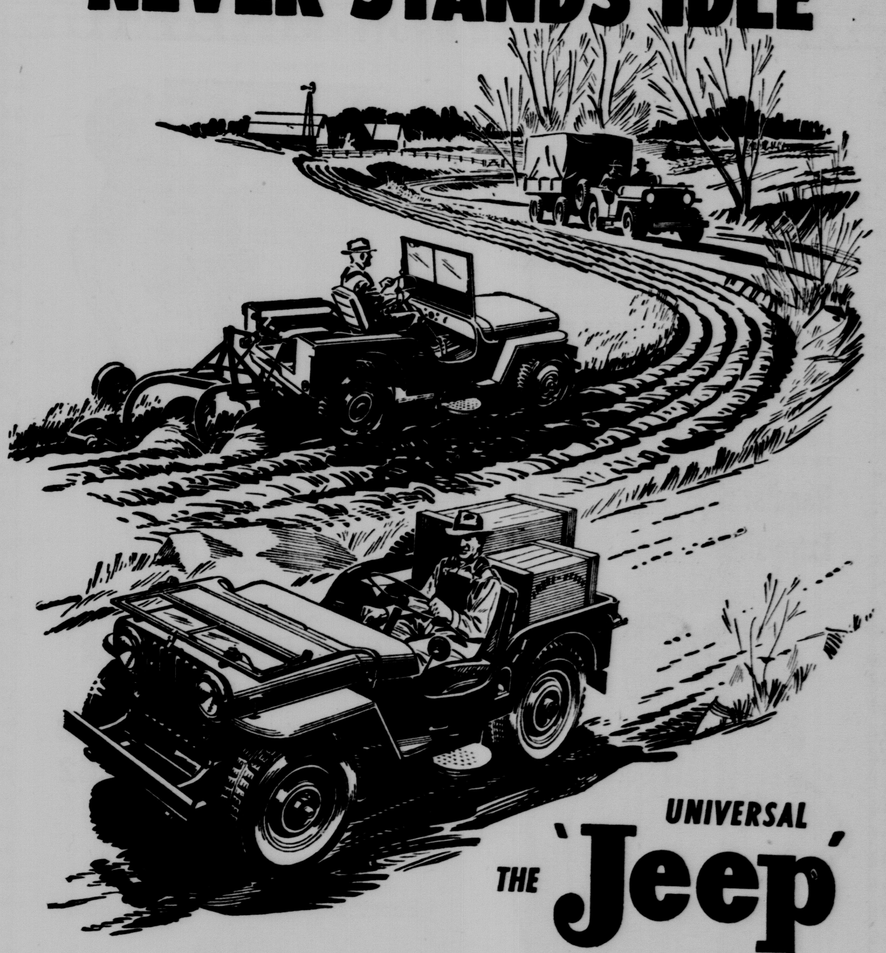

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Alaska Troops By Airplanes

To Fill In On Units There Undermanned

McCHORD FIELD, Wash., May 8—(AP)—Capt. Walter W. Weir, assistant public information officer here, said Friday an "emergency" transfer of 500 troops to Alaska by air was being made to fill out undermanned units.

The field announced earlier today it was flying the soldiers to the territory in an unexplained "emergency."

The captain said the soldiers, collected from all over the mainland and Hawaii, had been at Fort Lawton "for a long time" awaiting transfer north by ship. Men were being moved south from Alaska posts steadily without replacement, leaving units there badly understaffed.

He said the men were among 2,100 destined to move north. Troop carrying planes took 150 north yesterday, another 150 today and will take out the rest of the 500 in the next two days.

Air force officials at the Seattle port of embarkation said in a statement "air shipment is used as an expedient method of alleviating the pressing shortages of air force manpower throughout the Alaska air command," the statement said.

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Match Coins On Salary Increase

NEWARK, N. J., May 8—(AP)—Four assistant U. S. attorneys matched coins to determine which one was to get a $250 annual salary increase, U. S. Attorney Edgar H. Rossbach disclosed Friday.

The problem arose when Assistant U. S. Attorney Charles J. Tyne moved up from $4,500 to $5,900 per annum. That left the $4,500 post to be filled by one of four members of the staff receiving $4,250.

The four agreed the fairest way would be by matching coins. They were J. Edward Amada, Joseph B. Schwartz, John T. Corcoran and Edward V. Ryan.

Amada won.

The vacancy was caused by the resignation some time ago of Charles A. Stanziale.

Four Die In The Crash Of Plane

WALSENBURG, Colo., May 8—(AP)—Four persons were killed Friday night when a private plane crashed as it came in for a landing two miles north of Walsenburg.

Three of the dead were identified as Nuton Ingraham, of Wichita, Kans., the pilot; John W. Dowd, of Garden City, Kans., and Elmer Cannon, about 16, a Walsenburg high school student.

The fourth victim, not identified immediately, was pinned in the wreckage. An acetylene torch was used to remove the body.

Witnesses said the plane apparently was caught in a downdraft and nosedived into the earth.

Dowd reportedly was the manufacturer of frozen food locker equipment. He has been in the Walsenburg area for several days installing some of his facilities.

The plane was owned by the Dean Whitlow flying service of Wichita, Kas.

Gets Foreign Coins In Meters

FULTON, Mo., May 8—(AP)—Fulton's parking meters have proved a gold mine for policeman Woody Lewis.

Officially Lewis is the man who collects from the meter boxes. His hobby is collecting foreign coins. So far he's doing right well.

He has found coins from every European country except Switzerland and Poland, as well as Japan, China, Korea, the Philippines, Panama Canal Zone and several South American countries.

He thinks the coins were dropped in by former servicemen who could find no better use for them than to buy a few minutes parking time on Fulton's streets.

Oddly, Woody reports, he hasn't found any wooden nickles.

Basket Dinner And Program

The closing exercises of the Lovelace school were held Sunday April 18. A basket dinner was served at the noon hour. After the basket dinner, the following program was presented under the direction of the teacher, Miss Melva K. May.

Dialogue, My Kite, Alice Closser and Mary Margaret Eads; song, "School Days" by school with Beulah Mae Arnold and Melvin Thierfelder doing the acting; "baton twirling," Shirley Siegel, Carol Wood, Mary Closser, Patti Jo Maples; speech, Middle In Between, Marvin Wood; song, I Don't Want To Play In Your Yard," Patti Jo Maples and Shirley Ann Fisher; Dialogue, The Colors In Our Flag, Beulah Mae Arnold, Robert Cooper, Melvin Thierfelder, Jesse Closser; speech, Annie Ray, Billy Eads; reading, "After Effects"; Patti Jo Maples; son, "Now Is the Hour," Shirley Siegel, Carol Wood, Mary Closser; speech "A Pest", Tommy Eads; Apron Dance" Shirley Fisher; Negro Minstrel, Carol Wood, Shirley Siegel, Mary Closser, Catherine Fisher, Raymond Bass, Bonnie Bass, Fred N. Thierfelder.

The graduate, Mary Ruth Closser, gave the farewell speech.

The following awards were made; perfect attendance, Marvin Wood and Fred N. Thierfelder; reading certificates, Carol Ann Wood, Shirley Ann Siegel, and Mary Ruth Closser.

Miss May has accepted the school for another year.

Quisenberry Hustlers 4-H Club Program

Quisenberry Hustlers 4-H club, with parents and friends, met at Quisenberry school on the afternoon of May 2 to observe Rural Life Sunday, with the following program; songs, "Holy Holy Holy," "Little Brown Church in the Vale" and "Follow The Gleam." The 4-H club pledge was given by the entire group; dialogue, The Emblem by Alberta Lane, Sylvia Schupp, Cleola Denny, Ruby Faye Gilsby and Ella Christine Gilsby.

The club creed was by Earl D. Thompson; sermon by the Rev. Wesley Hampton; song "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"; prayer by Ruby Faye Gilsby.

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Sedalia Share In Extra Gas

Such Is Prospect Of 15,000,000 Cubic Feet Expected

JEFFERSON CITY, May 8—(AP)—Delay in getting pipe has been the bottleneck in building a new pipeline from the Hugoton gas field R. T. Wells told the Missouri Public Service Commission Friday.

Wells, of Oklahoma City, is chief engineer for the Cities Service Gas Company. Its biggest customer, Gas Service Company, has asked the commission for an order limiting gas next winter to customers already being served.

All utilities using Cities Service Gas would be affected.

Wells said construction this summer will complete a 26-inch line from Ottawa, Kas., to Kansas City. By the end of the year the western section of the line will be done from the Hugoton field in southwestern Kansas to Hutchinson, Kas.

That will leave a 152-mile gap between Hutchinson and Ottawa.

Eventually, Wells said, the $36,000,000 project will supply utilities using Cities Service Gas with 370,000,000 more cubic feet of gas a year. But next winter he estimated the most that can be available for eastern Kansas and western Missouri will be 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet more than the area got last winter.

And strikes or other delays might cut that to 10,000,000, he said.

He told how Cities Service, unable to buy pipe, contracted for steel plate and had it made into pipe. The extra cost will amount to about $2,900,000, he said.

Wells said when the entire project is finished, some of the problems of supplying the city of St. Joseph will be cured by building a booster station near Leavenworth, Kas. Meanwhile, he said, St. Joseph and other western Missouri cities like Joplin, Springfield and Sedalia will get a share of the extra 15,000,000 cubic feet of gas expected to be available next winter.

Former Mayor John B. Gage, counsel for Gas Service Company of Kansas City, said the company would do its utmost to store up enough gas to prevent trouble next winter. But, he added, letting new homes continue to come on the gas lines "might be exceedingly dangerous to tens of thousands in the area."

Neal Reyburn of the Home Building Corporation of Sedalia spoke up for veterans buying small homes. Many small homes are being built with no basements so that gas is the only heat possible, he said.

The commission took the case under advisement without indicating when a decision would be reached.

Peak Demand Ahead

Montgomery Power, vice president of Gas Service company, Kansas City, told the commission next winter is expected to produce a peak demand 57,876,000 cubic feet greater than last year. The increase in Missouri alone is expected to exceed the 1947-48 season by 28,867,000 cubic feet, he said.

Cities Service has advised the company it can supply only 15,000,000 more cubic feet than last winter, he reported.

Jerome Joffee, counsel for the city of Kansas City, sought to show in cross examination that would be enough to take care of an estimated 11,000,000 cubic feet needed for new construction.

But Powers said the peak demand on a day of four below zero cold would eat up all the extra supply, plus all the gas normally distributed to industrial users. And there would still be a deficit, he said.

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Execute U Saw And Five Others

By G. Milton Kelly

RANGOON, Burma, Saturday, May 8—(AP)—Former Premier U Saw and five conspirators were hanged at dawn today for the attempted coup and assassination of seven cabinet members last July 19.

U Saw was executed at 5:15 a. m. The others followed him to the execution grounds at intervals.

Witnesses said U Saw was smiling and murmuring Buddhist prayers as he went to his death.

Reprieve After Capital Punishment Suspended

LONDON, May 8—(AP)—Donald George Thomas, first man to be convicted of murder after the House of Commons voted to suspend capital punishment, heard Friday that he will not be hanged.

A reprieve was ordered by Home Secretary Chuter Ede, although the death penalty was imposed on Thomas for killing a policeman with a pistol.

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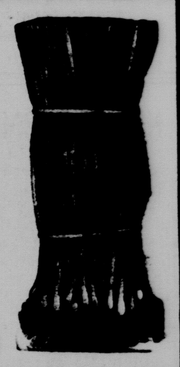

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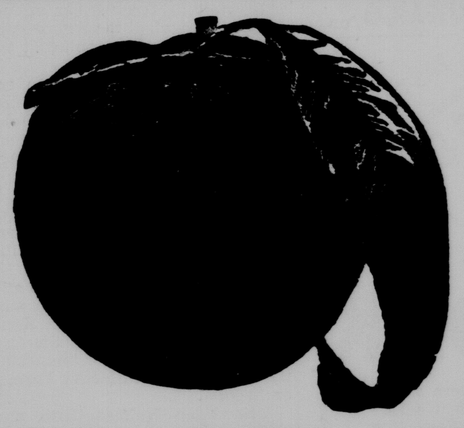

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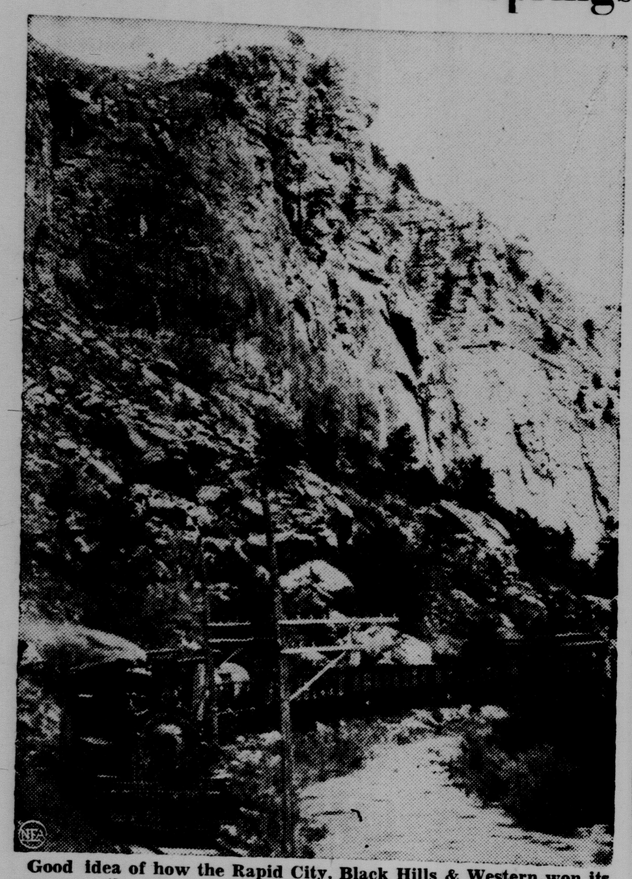
Crookedist Railroad in World Being Made Into Bed Springs



Good idea of how the Rapid City, Black Hills & Western won its name as the "crookedest railroad in the world" is the scene below as the road's mixed-train daily wrapped itself through the canyon for one of its 14 complete circles on a 33-mile run. Now track workers are pulling up the rails (below) to end the crooked road's hectic career.

By DAN VALENTINE
NEA Special Correspondent

RAPID CITY, S. D.—(NEA)—The gandy dancers are working again on the Rapid City, Black Hills & Western. But this time they're ripping up the rails, and by summer the "crookedest railroad in the world" will be on its way to be made into bedsprings.

Built in the 90's during the fabulous Black Hills gold rush days to bring mine timber to the gold camps, the R.C.B.H.&W. has survived financial shenanigans, bankruptcy and disastrous floods.

When the timber traffic went, hunters, fishermen, summer campers and geologists kept it alive until last September, when the ICC agreed with the owners that the railroad had outlived its usefulness.

Mathematicians figure that when the railroad still had its tracks it made 14 complete circles on the 33-mile run from Rapid City to Mystic. It crossed Rapid Creek 105 times along the way.

When a group of Rapid City promoters started the railroad in 1891, they found the toughest job was finding an engineer to build it. Some of the best railroad experts in the nation took one look at Rapid canyon and went right back home.

Frederick Delves-Broughton, a British engineer, thought otherwise, and the owners let him go to work. They ran out of money after the first six miles of crooked track had been laid, and Broughton finally finished the railroad with his own funds. But he lost control, and ownership went to C. D. Crouch, whose short tenure gave the Black Hills & Western the nickname of "the Crouch line."

A flash flood in Rapid canyon wiped out 100 of the 105 bridges soon after the line began running. Repairs and damage suits forced the road into bankruptcy, and New York brokers ran it until 1920—mostly at a loss—until a group of Rapid City business men took it over.

The Black Hills & Western, in its fading days, was as informal as it was crooked. On its one round trip a day, hunters and fishermen would ride until they saw a likely spot along the creek, and then pull the signal cord and stop the train.

If the fishing looked good, it wasn't unusual for engineer and crew to pause a while and try their luck.

Many church summer camps were built along the line, and the station stop for people who had summer cabins on Rapid Creek was their own front steps.

Geology classes from every major university used to come to Rapid City to ride the crooked railroad; geologists claim they could find examples of every geological foundation since the start of time along the right of way in Rapid canyon.

The claim of the Black Hills & Western to the title of "crookedest railroad in the world" has never been challenged. And old-timers think the St. Louis manufacturer who bought the crooked steel rails to make them into bed springs ought to have an easy job.

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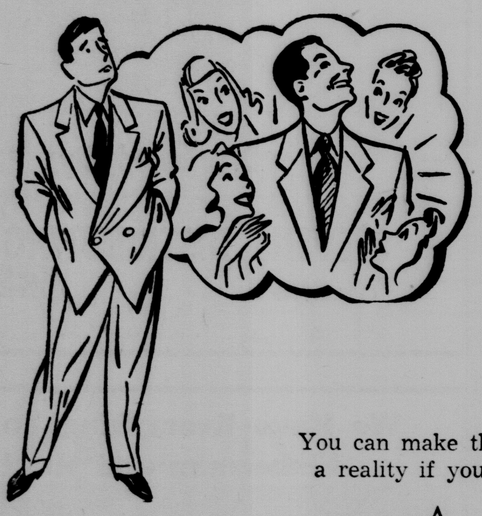

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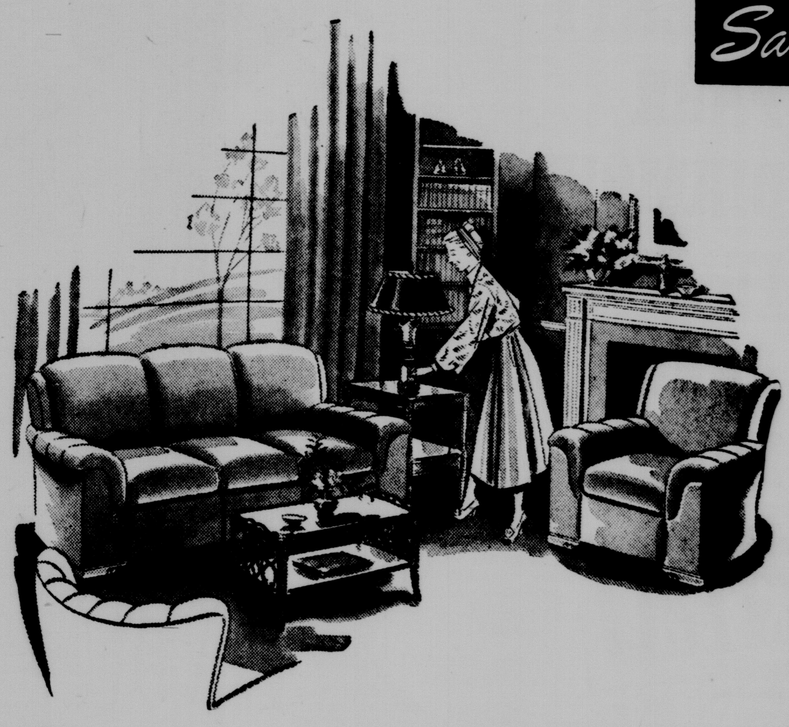

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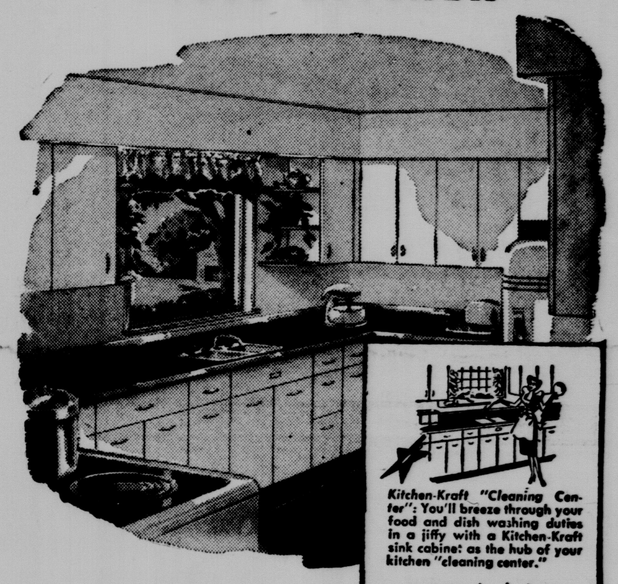

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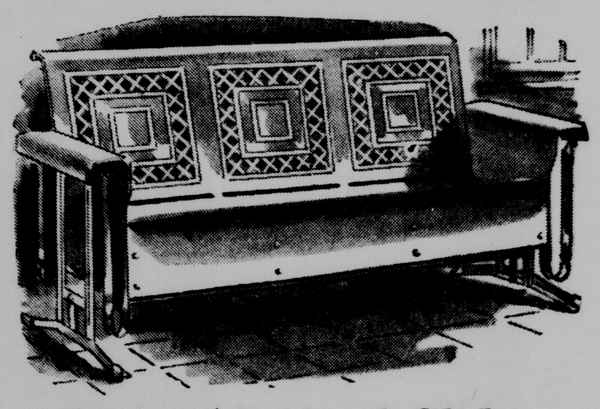

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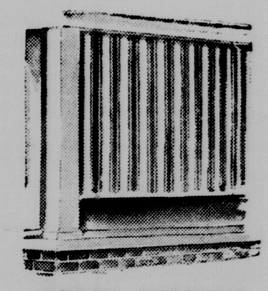

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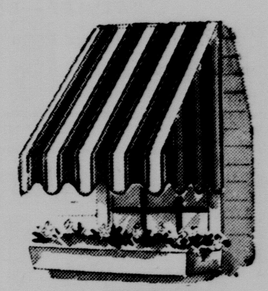

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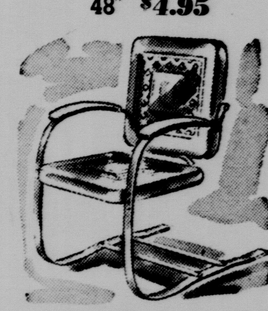

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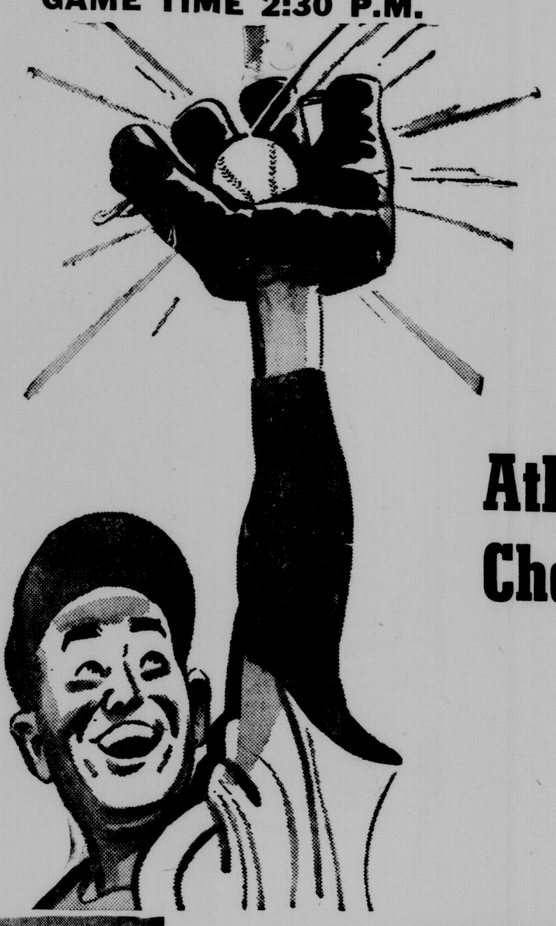

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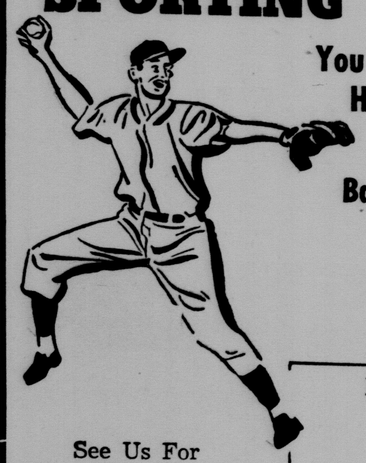

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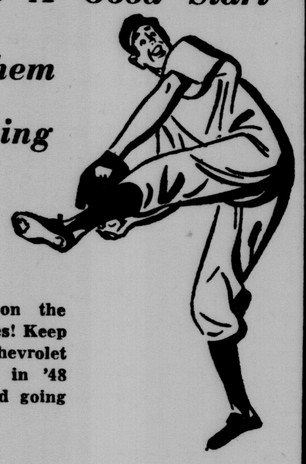

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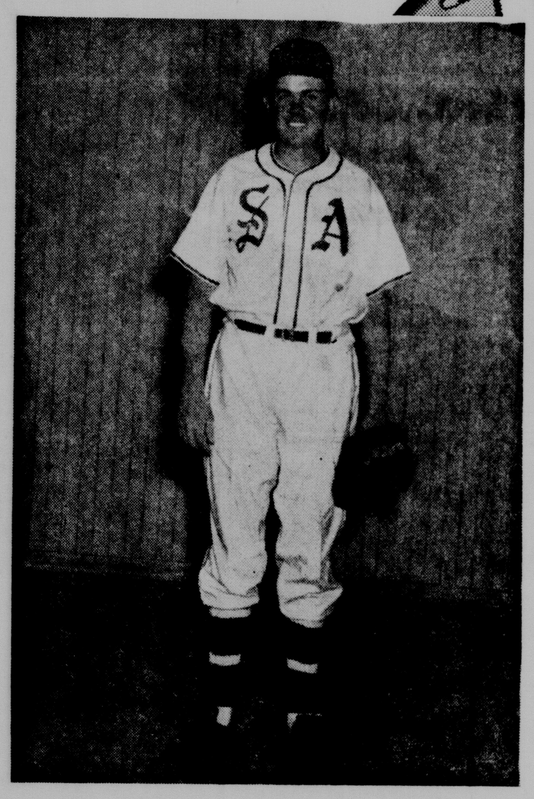
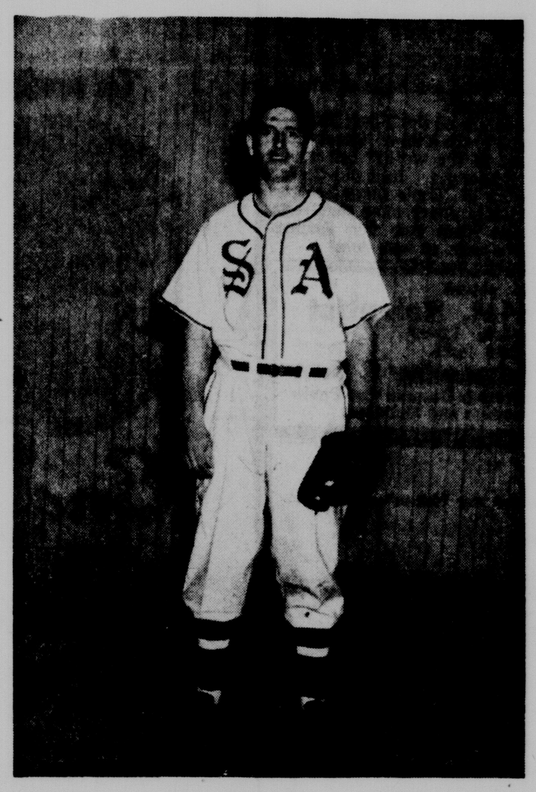


Photo—Bill Kain

George Thompson—Outfielder

Last year this 21-year-old husky was doing his baseball chores for old Uncle Samuel's army over on the far flung shores of Japan. This year he feels much happier roaming the outfield for Duke Sullivan's Sedalia Athletics. George played a lot of Junior Legion ball around these parts in 1943, growing up as all youngsters do in the world of baseball. In 1946, along with several of his now Athletic teammates he was playing semi-pro ball here with a team called the Ramblers. Thompson will be making a lot of appearances in the Athletic batting order this season. In relating his experiences as a ballplayer it seems as though the rangy outfielder has never let the grass grow under his feet. He's been on and off a lot of ball diamonds and with a host of different ball clubs not to be any older than he is. Just this spring Thompson had a Yankee tryout at McAllister, Oklahoma. He could have been playing out in Kansas right now, but likes to roam the Liberty Park outfield better.



Photo—Bill Kain

John Swisher—Outfielder

Does the word "swish" rhime with "switch." It doesn't really matter because when John steps up to the plate for his cut at the old horsehide, he'll either be batting from the right or left side, and when he tags that pill it really takes off with a "swish." Maybe that's how John earned the handle, Swisher. This lad has been around local diamonds for a long while. When he talks baseball you know he's a veteran. John says he was too old in age for the Legion when he started out in baseball, so he made good with the Merchants. After a couple of years with the Merchants he found himself in the kahki of the U.S.A. Did a lot of ball playing in the army too. He took his discharge in November of 1945. Didn't return to the Liberty park premises until last year with the Merchants. Swisher packs a heavy wallop at the plate and looks good on defense, which all fits in quite well in Manager Sullivan's notebook.

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Portraying the title roles, Gary Grant and Shirley Temple co-star with Myrna Loy in a fast and furious comedy, "The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer", starting a special three day return showing in Sedalia at the Uptown Theatre today. Second feature on the Uptown bill is "High Tide, with Lee Tracy, Don Castle and Julie Bishop.

The galaxy of stars pictured above are all in character for the action double header which opens at the Liberty today. The two pictures are: "Trail of The Vigilantes," which stars Franchot Tone, Warren William, Brod Crawford and Andy Devine, and "Badlands of Dakota" which stars Richard Dix, Lon Chaney, Jr., Ann Rutherford and Frances Farmer.

Community News From

Clarksburg

Mrs. Maude Albin

Mrs. Jesse Garrett and Mrs. Fern Riechel, of Lupus, visited Saturday with their grandmother, Mrs. G. O. Van Stratten.

Mrs. C. C. Edwards, accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Oscar Rohrback and Mrs. Flossie Kay and son, Billy Gale, of California, spent Saturday and Sunday in Kansas City, Kas., visiting their son and brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Orvill Edwards.

Mrs. Aliza Hamlin has been quite ill for several days. She is suffering from a severe fall she received recently. Her daughter, Mrs. George Shores came from California to care for her.

Mrs. Lula Renshaw and Mrs. Nola Martin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Albin, in Cross Lane community.

An afternoon tea and open house was given Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Vaughan in South Clarksburg, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Woodward, of Eerie, Colo. Mrs. Woodward before her marriage, was Miss Minnie Karstetter, for many years a resident of Clarksburg and spent her school days in Clarksburg. A large number of her old schoolmates and friends called at that time to visit with them and enjoyed the afternoon. Mrs. Vaughan served coffee and cake.

W. G. Tannington went to his farm east of High Point Sunday to view the damage done by the storm Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Woodward of Eerie, Colo., spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Stephens. Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Woodward were old friends and schoolmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Vaughan, of Kansas City, were week-end guests of Mr. Vaughan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Vaughan and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawford and daughter, Sharon Kay, of Boonville spent from Sunday until Monday evening with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Van Stratten and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Stratten.

Donald Koechner, who attends high school, at Tipton, along with a group of students from other communities who ride the Tipton school busses, went on a free bus trip outing Tuesday. The drivers of the busses sponsored the sight-seeing trip.

The alumni banquet was held at the Clarksburg high school Saturday night. Despite the severe storm there was a large attendance. The electricity was cut off and light was supplied by candles. One hundred and eight plates were served. The banquet supper was prepared by the ladies of the O. E. S. Among those attending from a distance were: Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow Moore, of Huntsville; Rev. and Mrs. Denzil Albin and son, Virgil, of Jefferson City; Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Williams, of Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Vansandt, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Carol Vaughan, of Kansas City; and Henry Parker, of Iowa, who won an award for coming the greatest distance.

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Hal Boyle's Column

By Hal Boyle

RAPID CITY, S. D., May 7—(AP)—You can swear in English—but you can't in Sioux.

The Indians were too simple for sacrilege.

The English language probably has some of the most tremendous swear words ever invented by a civilized race. But the Sioux tongue is completely free of impiety. There was no need for a commandment against taking the name of their God in vain. Their language doesn't even permit it.

This is an odd truth about this savage but once sternly moral people.

The white victors here have a mock ceremony during which they initiate visitors into the mythical "singing tribe of Wahoo." The initiation, conducted in Indian, pledges the new members to a vow that "the Black Hills are the best damned place in the world to live."

No Word for Damned

But the word "damned" has to be given in English. The Sioux just didn't have a word for it.

They are among the few people in history who have been vanquished and remain admired by their conquerors. Not for what they have become — for many have taken the white man's vices—but for what they were.

They were originally a race that never heard of Christ but lived by his Golden Rule. They have fallen upon twilight days and this is upon the conscience of many good people out here who want to help them.

"At one time they were the finest race on the earth," one woman said simply.

Highly Political

South Dakotans are a highly political people with an inland Republican complexion reminiscent of Maine and Vermont.

The Mount Rushmore mountain memorial has the carved faces of Washington, Jefferson, Teddy Roosevelt and Lincoln. The stock election year joke by Republicans:

"We put up Jefferson just to remember what a Democrat looked like."

When it rains, the faces of all four presidents stream rivulets of tears.

"Lincoln can't stand what happened under the New Deal," say the Republican tourists.

Reply the Democrats:

"Jefferson is crying over what the Republican congress is doing to Truman."

Famous Visitors

The most famous visitors to the Black Hills since General Custer bowed out to the encircling Sioux were President Calvin Coolidge and his wife.

They had the summer White House here in 1927, and their memory remains. I slept in Calvin's former bed. It was still cool.

The folks out here took particular pains to see that the president had good fishing. Without telling Coolidge anything about it, they stocked a stream near his lodge with plenty of trout—then put wire nets above and below the bend where he cast his hook. He couldn't miss.

It was a kind of silent hospitality no one mentioned at the time—and they'd do the same thing again today, regardless of party. That's the way people are out here.

I asked one lady—a fervid Democrat—what she remembered most about Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge.

"He had a lukewarm handshake," she said, "and her hand was warm and firm."

That may be political prejudice. But Mrs. Coolidge did make a big hit. The name of the creek in which her husband fished was changed from Squaw creek to Grace Coolidge creek — in her honor.

He Plucked a Goose

One redoubtable visitor well remembered was Lauritz Melchior, the Metropolitan opera tenor.

Returning to his hotel after a hunting trip, the doughty Dane requested the management to pluck a goose for him. He was regretfully informed no facilities were available.

Melchior blithely set about the task himself. When the maid came, she found a happy tenor, a plucked goose — and a room snowed full of feathers up to her knees.

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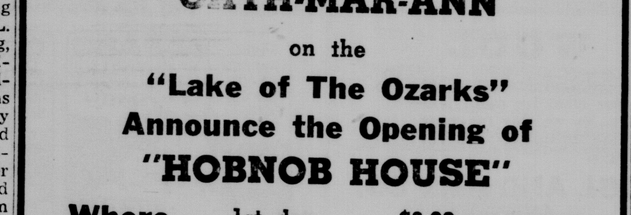

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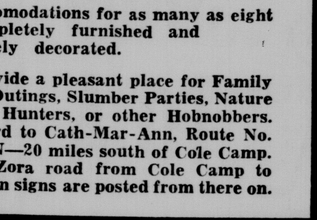

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LISTEN! by Jim Carson

Don't ever underestimate the power of a woman—or of a radio station. When you combine the two, things happen!

All ladies like to have male admirers, so I'm told—but when one lady manages to amass 200 of them, all in the day's work, it's worth a line of type or two. Especially when the lady happens to be KMBC's **Caroline Ellis**, whose "Happy Home" program each Monday through Friday at 8:30 a.m., brings fifteen minutes of down-to-earth philosophy and ready wit to her myriad listeners.

Caroline's 200 devoted new friends comprise the population of the State Training School for Boys at Boonville. The story started recently, when Caroline saw in the Boonville paper a letter from a teacher at the school, thanking residents for supplies sent in to provide materials for handicrafts. Thinking about it, Caroline came to the conclusion that people were, for the most part, being too "pleasantly horrified" over the anti-social acts of a minority of the Boonville school's population, when the majority of the boys were probably pretty much like other youngsters of eight years old and upwards—just kids who'd had fewer advantages than others, and who needed lots of things to provide occupation for busy hands and minds. So, Caroline took to the airwaves and asked for them.

The response was immediate and somewhat in the nature of an avalanche. Books, magazines, modeling clay, rags and yarns for making rugs, canceled postage stamps, stamp albums, crayons, water colors, puzzles, arrived in such profusion that a warehouse had to be opened for storage. Some women, forgetful that the boys are, during their Boonville stay, wards of the courts, wanted to adopt one or two.

Caroline looks upon the whole project as the biggest thing she has ever done via the kilocycles. That she has some reason for feeling so is borne out by a letter she received from E. Carl Wade, Director of Education at the school. Mr. Wade wrote, in part:

"We were so happy to show the new Board what has happened as a result of your work, and they were so pleased that they have gone back to their respective communities and we are getting donations of basketballs, radios, musical equipment, all of the things we have dreamed of and longed for but had never received. We are told . . . . our small vocational and academic program can and will be increased to include every boy. Now we can really work on a plan of rehabilitation, and failures to accomplish our goals cannot be laid to equipmen or lack of staff . . . . Thanks to you and the very fine people who have responded, we are in shape to do just that."

And, most touching of all, the following tribute from one of those most closely concerned, written in a childish scrawl, painfully, and with many erasures:

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I wil drop you a few lines to let you know that I am O K and hope you all are the same. We boys thank you very much for the stamps. Well we are working on planets very hard. We are singing very much. All of us boys thank you very very much for the yarns you have sent us. I like to box very much. We have pictures of the Moon and sun. We are studying Greece now. I can't think of much to say so I will say good-by for now.

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The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann

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THE STORY: Patience Mond, primly brought up by two maiden aunts, is in love with Paul Taylor, whom her aunts have forbidden her to see because they have never been properly introduced. Charlotte, Patience's twin sister whom she has not seen since childhood, is a stage star rehearsing a show in London. She invites Patience up to spend a day with her, dresses her smartly from her own wardrobe. Patience meets Roger Dickson, popular actor and Charlotte's boyfriend. Roger is attracted to Patience, says he is going to see her again. On the way home, Patience stops in a lane to rub off her makeup before facing her aunts. Her face is covered with cold cream when Paul comes upon her. She knows she looks a fright.

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SUDDENLY Patience flew into a temper. "What are you doing here, anyway?" she demanded, angrily.

"I followed you. I was so intrigued to know what was going on. It's surprising to find you're a dark horse. You who always pretended you were such a dear little innocent! Incidentally, who were those flashy friends who saw you off at the station?"

Patience's eyes blazed.

"They weren't flashy."

"Well, they hardly looked the sort your revered aunts would approve of. A bit stagey, I thought them. But the girl was a knockout, I agree. Unfortunately I didn't see much of her. She would keep turning her back towards me."

Patience opened her handbag with trembling hands to feel for her compact and powder-puff. In her confusion she spilled the entire contents on to the ground. Paul immediately stepped forward and helped her to pick them up. The lipstick that Charlotte had given her rolled the farthest and he chased it and handed it back to her.

"That new?"

"Yes."

"You didn't use to use one."

"I know."

Paul looked at her speculatively.

"I'd be interested to know what you're up to, Patience."

Patience tossed her head.

"And I'd be interested to know why you imagine I should be answerable to you."

"That's easy. Because we're in love with each other."

"Don't be silly."

"You think that's silly?"

"Very. I've never been in the least in love with you."

"No?" Suddenly he moved to her and his hands came down on her shoulders. "You know quite well that's not true. You were in love with me. You still are in love with me. But the trouble's been you've not had the spunk to face up to it. But now—well, something's changed you."

He paused a moment for breath and his brows darkened. "I don't like it. I don't like you in that smart dress. It doesn't suit you and you look a mess with all that muck on your face. For two pins I'd take you right back to your aunts and tell them they'd better keep a closer eye on you. Yes, and I'll tell them too that by refusing to let you see me they're only running their heads into a pack of trouble. That engaged to me, you'd have come to no harm. Whereas now—"

Patience raised her hand. She slapped his face with a firm, stinging blow. Then she pushed past him, reached for her bicycle, got on, and peddled swiftly away down the lane.

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SHE didn't look back as she turned the corner. She didn't stop to take her handkerchief from her pocket to wipe away the tears that rained down her cheeks. Only as she neared home did she make an effort to pull herself together. She got off her bicycle and once more looked at herself in the mirror from her handbag. Her face now was pale and her eyes showed that she'd been crying. Luckily there was a little stream nearby. She bathed them till they returned to normal. Then she took out her powder-puff. Ah, that was better! Better outwardly, at least. Because inwardly she was still seething. How dare Paul behave as if he'd every right to order her about? How dared he suggest that Charlotte and Roger were flashy! Never would she speak to him again.

Her aunts were waiting for her when she got in. She stood in the doorway forcing herself to smile at them.

"Ah, there you are, dear child," said Miss Alice.

Miss Helen looked up from her mending, her brows contracting at sight of Patience.

"Patience dear, what on earth have you got on?"

"A dress that Charlotte gave me, Aunt Helen."

"I can't say I care much for it. And those shoes! Really the heels are quite ridiculous. Especially in the country."

"But I don't propose to wear them in the country, Aunt Helen. The whole get-up's for London."

Miss Alice said, a trifle nervously, that she thought it was very pretty. Miss Helen turned on her angrily.

"It's not suitable for Patience, Alice."

Patience's eyes grew stubborn.

"I like it, Aunt Helen."

"Well, I hope you'll refrain from wearing it down here. And most certainly you can't go to the dressmaking academy in it. It's altogether too flashy."

It was an unfortunate word. It touched Patience on the raw.

"That's absurd. Honestly, Aunt Helen, I do wish you'd realize that I'm grown-up and it's time I ceased dressing like a schoolgirl."

Miss Helen looked at her coldly.

"I think you forget yourself, Patience. That's not the tone of voice I expect you to use to me."

Patience bit her under-lip sharply. Hasty words struggled for utterance, but she held them back. She dropped down on a low stool beside her Aunt Alice and in answer to her questioning began to give her a rather censored version of her day in London.

(To Be Continued)

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13 King's home
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25 Diving bird
28 Caper
31 Vituperate
33 French article
34 Thus
35 Symbol for samarium
36 Eye (Scot.)
37 Puff up
39 Keen
41 Low haunt
42 Manuscripts (ab.)
43 Palm lily
45 Jump
49 Symbol for selenium
50 Wise birds
52 Handle
53 Martian (comb. form)
56 Pared
58 Piles
60 Emphasis
61 Thoroughfare

VERTICAL

1 Open (poet.)
2 New Guinea port
3 Sickest
4 Huge
5 Out of (prefix)
6 Peruse
7 Detonate
8 Registered nurse (ab.)
9 First man
10 Indian antelope
11 Parrot
12 Compass point
17 Jumbled type
18 Symbol for erbium
23 Grew wan
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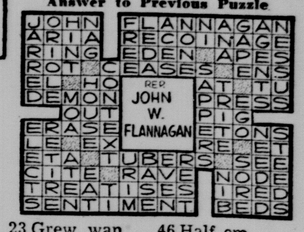

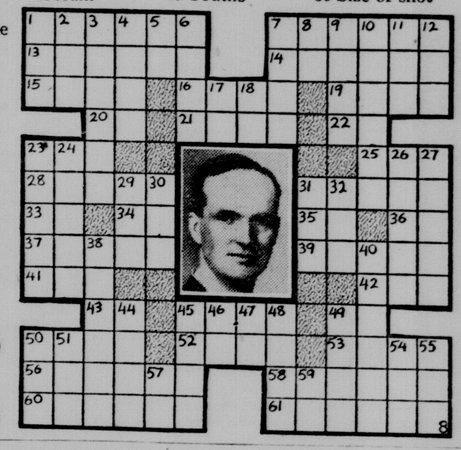

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The Hughesville school will have the following schedule for closing week of school, May 9-14.

Baccalaureate, Sunday, May 9, Speaker, Rev. Ralph E. Hurd, of Sedalia.

Wednesday, Grade school picnic.

Wednesday night, High school commencement exercises at 8:00 o'clock, Speaker, Dean Irvin L. Peters, of Missouri State College Warrensburg.

Thursday, High school picnic.

Friday, Eighth grade exercises, 10:00 o'clock.

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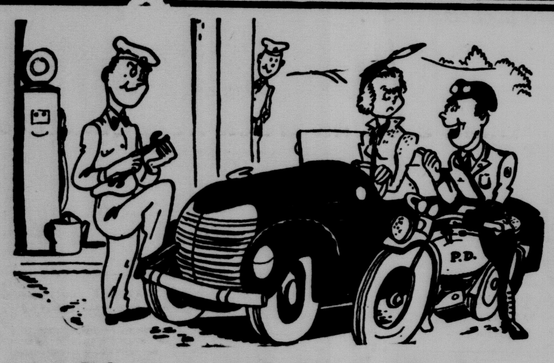

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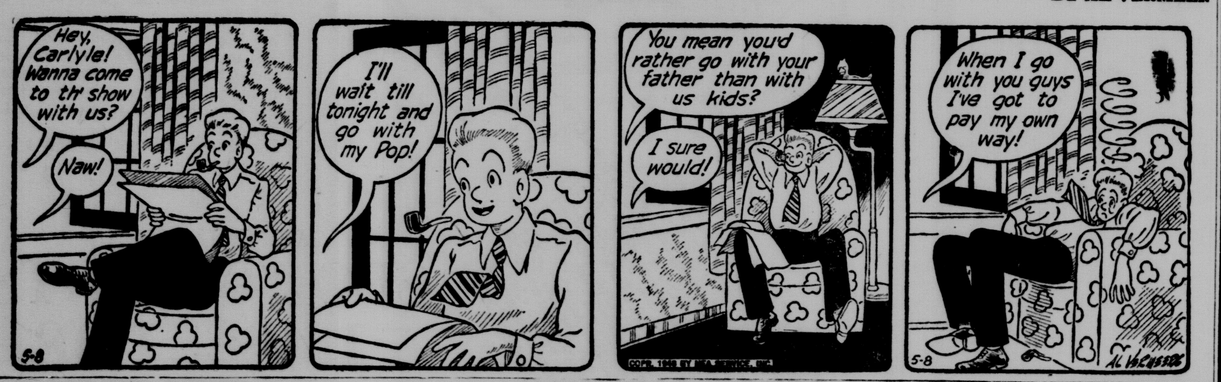

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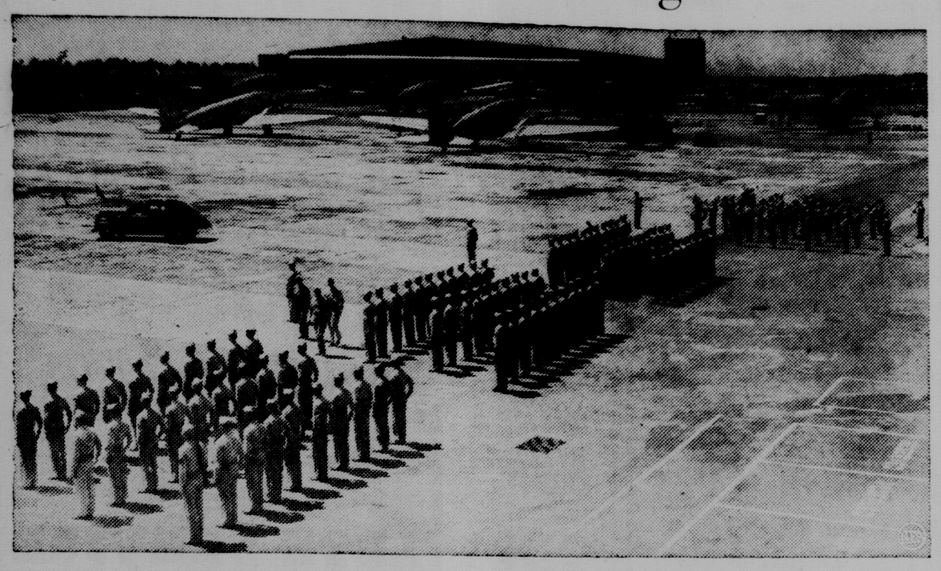

Enlisted men and officers of the Flying Leathernecks' "weekend warriors" line up for inspection at the Marine Corps aviation base at Cherry Point, N. C.

By NEA Service

CHERRY POINT, N. C.—(NEA)—The three-year-old "week-end warrior" arm of the Flying Leathernecks has reached 93 per cent of authorized strength, officer and enlisted.

On May 22, Marine Corps Aviation celebrates its 36th anniversary. Its authorized peacetime strength is 21 fighter squadrons. Today the organized Air Reserve is prepared to supplement this with 25 more trained fighter squadrons and eight ground control intercept squadrons.

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During maneuvers, the 17 East Coast units cut this to one day when they gathered here for two weeks of training. Bad weather and longer distances held up the West Coast units. They took three days to assemble at El Toro, Calif.

Twenty-six transport planes, flying shuttle hops, picked up air and ground personnel at bases near their homes and rushed them to maneuver headquarters.

One Marine pilot started at Miami, flew a contingent north, dropped them here, flew on to Willow Grove, Pa., and returned with another batch the same day.

In all the transports made pick-ups from 22 fields and bases throughout the country where the Marine Air Reserves are stationed.

The East Coast units had 87½ per cent of their planes ready for tactical flying every day of the two weeks they were here, and flew 5235 hours without a single fatality or accident of any consequence.

They flew 3500 hops to get in their gunnery, bombing, rocket-firing and tactical exercises supporting ground troops. A third of the 1500 men involved were teen-age recruits with no war experience.

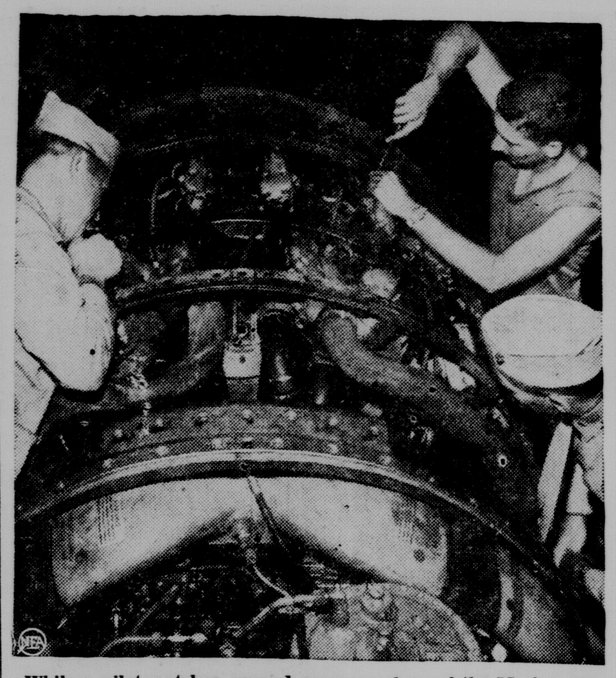
Defense Secretary James Forrestal recently defined the Marine Air Arm's primary mission as supporting Marine ground troops in amphibious operations. Their secondary mission is to furnish replacement squadrons for carriers.

The Reserves now fly the Corsair fighters like those they used during World War II. Pilots and ground personnel are to be trained to fly and service newer types of jet planes as they become available to the Corps.

The Reserves get the equivalent of two months' training a year. Two weeks of this is at maneuvers. The rest is in training sessions held on alternate weekends at bases assigned to the Reserve.

Brig. Gen. C. F. Schilt, who won the Congressional Medal of Honor for his work as a Marine aviator in Nicaragua, heads Marine Air Training Command at Glenview, Ill., which reorganized the Air Reserve and shot it full of the same enthusiasm that has made the Corps famous.

About 60 million acres in the United States consist of urban areas, parks, roads and railroad rights of way in 1940.



While a pilot watches, ground crew members of the Marine Air Reserve give the engine of a fighter plane a final check. Both aviators and ground forces of the Air Reserve are at 93 per cent of authorized strength.

High Point Club Meeting

The High Point Homemakers club held its regular meeting May 5 at the school house with Mrs. J. H. Wilken and Mrs. Edward Cusick hostesses. Eleven members and three visitors, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. E. B. Beyer, and Mrs. R. R. Long were present. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Beyer joined the club.

After a contributive dinner the meeting was called to order by Mrs. Frank Eck leading the group in singing "Oh Susanne" and "Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair." Mrs. B. G. Smith read the club collect. Roll call was answered with "What I Can Do To Help My Club During 1948."

Mrs. Casper Holtz gave an interesting report on Basic Foods. She also told of visiting a Homemaker club near Holden.

The president, Mrs. J. H. Wilken, appointed Mrs. B. G. Smith and Mrs. Roy Fender on the Achievement Day committee.

The club voted to have a weiner roast for the members and families.

The meeting adjourned by singing the club benediction.

Hughesville Club Meeting

The Hughesville Woman's Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Henry Nagle with Mrs. Ramond Nagle and Mrs. C. N. Marshall assistant hostesses, on Wednesday at a covered dish luncheon.

Visitors present were: Mrs. John Moon, Davey and Betty Lou Powell, Jimmy and Carolyn Martin, Mrs. Leroy Reesce, house guest of Mrs. Nagle, Aleta Moon.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Clinton Lowrey. Singing of the Doxology, reading of club collect. Devotional was given by Mrs. Joe Williams on Parables. The meeting in June will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Conway, with Mrs. Will Fowler and Mrs. Bill Wheeler as assistant hostesses. Roll call was answered by, "My Favorite Flowers." Song, "Open My Eyes, That I May See" by Mrs. Charles Rages and Mrs. Jack Nagle, accompanied on the accordion by Mrs. Joe Williams as a part of the devotional and concluded with a prayer by Mrs. John Fowler. Reading of the minutes by Secretary Mrs. Alonso Moon. Songs "Hammer or Horn," accordion acconpanist, Mrs. Joe Williams. "The More You Eat Pastries," "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," Benediction.

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